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In sentencing a negro to be hanged the other day Judge Doty, of Westmoreland county, wept and broke down as the sentence was concluded. Doubtless the occasion was of that character where sympathy plays its perfect part, but it must be remembered that the Westmoreland murder record is almost equal to that in Luzerne. There have been twenty-one plain cases of murder out there during the year and one solitary conviction. Justice tampered with mercy is a trait in the running of the courts over the state which has led to many an escape from the penalties of the law, and the Westmoreland sentence is, indeed, an exception.

The regulation of convict labor, so that it shall not compete with that of the honest and law-abiding toiler, is one of the most perplexing tasks of the modern legislator. One of the earliest movements to which organized labor addressed itself was the passage of laws to obstruct the sale of prison-made fabrics, and thus discourage their manufacture. The boy cotting of such goods seriously interferes with the efforts of prison authorities to make their institutions self-supporting. In Pennsylvania prison-made wares must be branded with the words, "Convict made," and when the brand cannot be placed upon the articles themselves the words must be branded on the box in which they are contained. In Ohio a similar law was passed last winter, and its effect upon the State Penitentiary has been such that more than half of its 2100 inmates are idle. As all of these inmates have been sentenced to hard labor, that portion of the sentence cannot be enforced. As it is desirable on humanitarian grounds, as well as a matter of discipline, that convicts should have some occupation, it tests the ingenuity of prison officials to devise some rational employment for their charges. The Ohio penitentiary has been self-supporting, but it is no longer so.

If the disposition of the next Legislature is towards an appropriation that the way of finding a true bill. The fact that there is a Republican majority of 186 on joint ballot—one of the phenomenal events of a year replete in cyclone politics—does not augur well for anything Democratic, but Representative George V. Lawrence, the veteran legislator from Washington, declares an intention to introduce again the bill of 1891, which is manifestly more fair than a new measure would be inasmuch as it gives the Democrats eight with a possible ten members of any given delegation. Mr. Lawrence recognizes the injustice of allowing the county of Lackawanna a representative for 26,131 voters to the 40,508 of Berks and Lehigh. The Second district of this city number but 22,998, while the York district polls 39,892. Right in his own section the Thirty-third district has but 17,151 voters to 32,998 in the Clearfield district. The Senatorial apportionment is much worse, and if the legislators are disposed to give to reform its full value they will make a division of some benefit to the minority. There has been no appointment in this line since the year 1874.

Moral inquiry is in full flight as the latest and greatest labor of the day. Parkhursts now abound and good government clubs vie with schools of the kingdom and more frequently church congresses, in posing for the most graceful flight. Ministers and Mayors elbow each other in the fight for prominence, and woman's voice is heard as she, perhaps most justly of all, plumes herself for this winged contest. All this is commendable and it is to be hoped will not be spasmodic, but has grown out of a permanent tendency of public thought and will result in a lasting combination of moral forces till better political and social habits prevail. An energy which lasts only so long as passion rules may accomplish something, but the reaction is apt to wash it away, or weaken its unfinished foundations. The masses need first an intellectual conception of right and wrong, which will fashion deep the sense of obligation to fellowman and State. A people must have firm, real convictions to inspire a healthy and permanent activity. When a man has a deep and sound intellectual conception of justice, equity and all the cardinal virtues he will be very apt to have the feeling of indignation when rights are invaded. This, then, brings up the conclusion that of all important things to be taught ethics and the fundamental principles of public activities rank first. When intellect and feeling join forces then will reforms be permanent. Till then we must expect much that is spasmodic but still hopeful.

On Saturday this office was favored with a call from Mr. Arthur Wasson, one of Lemont's prosperous and enterprising young business men.

WASHINGTON LETTER.
Washington, Dec. 17, 1894.
From Our Regular Correspondent.)
The administration and the democratic leaders of the House are, by their attitude on the currency question, giving the country another instructive object-lesson, showing the democratic idea of statesmanship. Notwithstanding that those financiers of reputation who were heard, either in person or by letter, by the House Banking and Currency Committee, were a unit in condemning, either the whole or a part of Secretary Carlisle's misnamed plan of currency reform, the bill drawn up by Secretary Carlisle is to be railroaded through the House this week, unless democratic plans miscarry.

It may be true, although many are inclined to think that it is, that the administration is encouraging the withdrawal of gold from the treasury, in order to frighten objecting democrats into the support of the currency bill, which is a stop to the overwhelming variety of Representative Springer, chairman of the committee on Banking and Currency, has been re-christened, the "Springer Bill," but those who are unquestionably authorized to speak for the administration are presenting some arguments to secure votes for the bill that are certainly questionable. The democrat who expresses an objection to the bill, and nearly all of them do, is told that the bill has not the slightest chance to become a law, but that it is merely intended to convince the country that the administration and the majority of the House are anxious to do something and that its passage by the House will throw the responsibility for the failure of financial legislation upon the already unpopular Senate.

It is not necessary to have an extra good memory to recall that similar arguments were used to rush the Wilson tariff bill through the House in a crude form. It is well known that many of the Senate amendments to the tariff bill were begged by democratic members of the House who lacked the courage to either propose or support them. They were willing to beg for them secretly, and then to pose as having been compelled, against their will, to accept the Senate bill, amendments and all. That is a sort of business which disgusted the people and brought about the democratic defeat of last month. There has not been a single important piece of legislation before Congress since it was controlled by the democrats, into which this sort of tactics was not introduced to a greater or lesser extent. To put it plainly, if not elegantly, the democrats in Congress have played, and in spite of their bitter experience, are continuing to play the people for fools.

Even the tottering, God-forsaken government of Turkey, which exists merely by the sufferance of the great powers of Europe, does not hesitate to snub this administration. It has refused to allow the U. S. Consul designated for that duty by Secretary Gresham to accompany the Commission, composed of representatives of Russia and Great Britain, which will investigate the massacre of Christian Armenians by Turkish troops. If Secretary Gresham had not blundered from the start he would not be in his present humiliating position. He has already been taken to task by Congress for several of his blunders, and this last one will certainly be heard from.

The Senate will do nothing in the way of political legislation at this session, although there is still much talk about a lot of rule, but not as much as there was when the silver repeal bill was pending. Bluffs will be made at the sugar schedule of the tariff law from time to time, but they will have a speculative, not a legislative object.

General Sikes, of New York, is one of the few democrats in the House who has a brilliant Union Army record, and almost the only democrat who has had the courage to openly antagonize the pension policy of this administration. His latest remarks, made just previous to the passing of the pension appropriation bill by the House, are alike creditable to him and to every ex-Union soldier. He said: "I want to say right here to-day, for it may be the last opportunity I shall have to say it here, in vindication of my comrades, that that roll of a million names, with so few instances of fraud, is a monument of honor to American soldiers only less worthy than the heroic services they performed in the preservation of this Union, for which services their pensions are awarded."

Mr. Cleveland is still making extensions of the classified civil service. The civil service reform professions of the administration would be entitled to more respect if less were known of the methods in vogue in the departments to get big salaries for democrats at the expense of good clerks, women as well as men. For instance, a \$1400 woman clerk was compelled to ex-

change salaries with a \$900 democrat, and they both do the same work they did before the exchange.

If you would increase your happiness and prolong your life, forget your neighbors' faults. Forget the slander you have heard. Forget the temptations. Forget the fault finders. Forget the peculiarities of your friends, and only remember the good points which makes you fond of them. Forget all personal histories of quarrels you have heard by accident, and which, if repeated, would seem a thousand times worse than they are. Blot out as far as possible all the disagreeables of life; they will come, but they will grow larger as you remember them. Constant thought of the act of meanness, or, worse still, malice, will only tend to make you more familiar with them. Obliterate everything disagreeable from yesterday; start out with a clean sheet for to-day, and write upon it, for sweet memory's sake, only those things which are lovely and lovable.

Tillmanism Triumphant.
Benjamin R. Tillman, twice Governor of South Carolina, has achieved the crowning ambition of his life. He was yesterday elected by the General Assembly of that State a United States Senator to succeed Senator Butler, whose term will expire on March 4 next. Senator-elect Tillman is still young, and his marvelous success in political life is largely due to his own aggressiveness. He is at home in a heated political contest, and his career for the past five years has been a succession of battles waged chiefly for himself and in which he has been uniformly successful.

It cannot be truthfully said that the succession of Irby and Tillman to Hampton and Butler is any credit to the State of South Carolina. While the two new Senators represent the South Carolina of since the war, they are both ardent demagogues and owe their advancement entirely to successful demagoguery. Populist in principle, while masquerading under the name and profession of Democracy, both Irby and Tillman are, in fact, the champions of the measures which Simpson and Peffer and their imitators may introduce, and it may be taken for granted that the ascendancy of Tillman in South Carolina will have as disastrous an effect upon the credit of that State as the ascendancy of Waite and his crazy administration had upon Colorado.

Business of State Department.
The report of Secretary Harrity for the two years ended November 18 last shows the department of state to have handled an unusually large amount of work during that period. The number of corporation statements filed was 3,527 an increase of 70 as compared with the two previous years. The number of charters granted was 1,046; building and loan associations, 125; natural gas companies, 28, and traction and motor companies, 24. There were 73 decrees of dissolution and 1,000 statements filed by foreign corporations. The number of charters granted to locomotive railroads was 64 and to street railways, 218. The articles of merger and consolidation numbered 18 and 90 certificates extending the route of street railways. There were 9 decrees of dissolution of railroads. The net increase of railroad papers filed as compared with the previous two years was 144. There were 15 less charters granted to locomotive railroads. Secretary Harrity in his report also recommends several changes in the ballot law.

Poor House Question.
We are informed that enough signers have been obtained, by those interested, to insure the submission of the county poor house question to a vote of the people. The petition will be presented at the next term of court, in January, containing over two thirds of the poor directors in Centre county. Then it will be the duty of the court to order at the following spring election in the latter part of February, that the question be voted upon.

Poor houses like all other public institutions are a benefit when carefully managed, and a curse when under the control of unscrupulous, dishonest shysters and skimmers. In this latter direction Bellefonte has had as every experience in recent years.

Miss Jones Captures a Deer.
Deer are so plenty in West Keating township that a lady caught one and put it into an outbuilding and kept it until Deacon Jones came home and killed it on Monday last week. The deer dressed about 100 pounds. He ran against a wire fence on the old Jones' farm turning somersaults and landing in the yard on his back. Before he could regain his feet Miss Jones caught the deer and handed him into the meat house and closed the door.—Kathaus Times.

—Have you noticed Cessler's restaurant, how lovely it is decorated and fitted up for the holidays? It is nice as can be.

In Other Counties.
Matilda, wife of Robert Dillon, of Hastings, died last Sunday, after a short illness. Huntingdon county's criminal court is in session this week.

John Gerhardt, an old citizen of Johnstown, died on last Monday in his 81st year.

William Anderson, a well known and esteemed citizen of Mt. Pleasant is dead at the age of 74 years.

During the last week or so the persistent sneak thief has been unusually troublesome in New Bloomfield.

Harvey Crisman, Indiana county's horse thief, goes to the Western penitentiary for nine years and six months.

Only last Saturday, in Derry township, Westmoreland county, a man killed a large blacksnake that was out sunning itself.

James B. Hackett, Esq., of New Bloomfield, who last week suffered an attack of vertigo and fell over on the street, has recovered his usual health.

Runbaugh & Dillon's store, at Mt. Pleasant, was entered by burglars on Sunday night and robbed of a large quantity of gentlemen's furnishing goods, etc.

A German named Imbert was struck by a train near Menor Monday evening and instantly killed. He lived at Westmoreland City and was a miner.

Alderman Irvin Rutledge, a well-known citizen of Johnstown, was stricken with paralysis last Saturday evening, his right arm and leg having been affected.

Henry Smith and wife, of Newport, Perry county, have set a good example to the rising generation by living together as man and wife long enough to celebrate their golden wedding.

Charles Lytle, a huckster residing at Logansport, Clinton county, while on his way home from market at Williamsport, on Saturday last, was attacked by a couple of "road agents" who relieved him of \$30.

Just Gordon, of Clearfield county, is said to have expressed the opinion that there are too many licensed houses in that county.

Two employees of the machine, south of Logansport, Monday morning began working nine hours for a day's work. They had been working only six hours.

Rev. B. F. G. McGee, pastor of the Baptist church at Huntingdon, has tendered his resignation to accept a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Wilkesbarre.

There is a public school at Helvetia, Clearfield county, in which ten nationalities are represented. There is some probability that there are schools in Blair county that could match it.

David J. Strause, a man residing at Johnstown, who was seriously injured a week ago by his horse falling on him, died from his injuries on Sunday evening. He was in his 41st year.

Recent deaths in Mifflin county: Margaret Grassmyer, near Bellville, aged 76; Charles McClenahan, Milroy, 27; Samuel Miller, Wayne township, 76; James Gray Netown Hamilton, 25.

It is rumored that the "Dill Mansion" at Clearfield has been purchased by a Clearfield citizen of county prominence and will be converted into a hotel. It is the most complete building in the county.

William Kinney, of Johnstown, paid \$10 in confederate money for a horse the other day and is in trouble now on that account. His defense is that he was only in fun and that the horse wasn't worth anything.

Samuel Postlethwait, one of the oldest residents of Brady township, Clearfield county, died suddenly on Saturday. He was out doing some chores when he fell over dead. It is supposed death was caused by heart disease.

Mr. W. H. McMullen, of Centre township, Indiana county, has a drove of 110 turkeys and every bird is a white one. In the evening they roost on the trees about the house and the odd sight attracts the notice of the passersby.

By putting gun powder among tobacco placed in a pipe and handing to a little son of E. F. Rider, of Oliver township, Perry county, by a companion named Troop, the former, in attempting to smoke was badly burned about the face by the explosion.

Sett Lacey, a young woodman, whose home is at Grampian, Clearfield county, had his leg cut off by a train on the O & M. road, at Bloom's Run, Saturday last. Lacey was under the influence of liquor and could give no account of how the accident occurred.

Gen Campbell Comet: The typhoid fever which has been so prevalent in this place for several months past appears to have a choice to afflict the male sex. Out of twenty-five or thirty, only three females have been attacked—one case proving fatal—that of Mrs. Murray, the only death occurring here from the disease.

The Catholic Parsonage.
Rev. Father P. McArdle has about com-

pleted the nicest residence on East Bishop street, Bellefonte. The building is L shaped, 38 feet front and 52 feet in depth, the front is white sandstone, same as the church; the sides are brick backed with stone. The front wall is 22 inches thick, sides 18 inches. A slate roof covers the entire building. The front porch, 8 feet in width, extends along the entire front of house, and on the east end and south side is a double porch, making in all about 120 feet of porch.

The first story is divided into six rooms and hall, the latter being 28 feet long and 8 feet wide, finished in oak. The parlor is 28 by 14 feet with folding doors finished in oak. The dining room is 14 by 22 feet, finished in oak. The library and office is 14 by 14 feet trimmed with oak whilst the kitchen is 12 by 14 feet, with cupboard, which is finished with white pine. The hall stairs running from first floor to third story is made of solid oak of fine pattern, Queen Ann style.

The second story contains seven rooms and hall, the latter being 28 feet long and 8 feet wide, finished in oak. The parlor is 28 by 14 feet with folding doors finished in solid oak; one side room 12 by 12, and other 14 by 14, and a bath room 6 by 14, all being trimmed with oak and fitted up with all modern improvements and well constructed, in fact, the entire workmanship of the whole building is first-class. The two rooms over the kitchen are of good size and nicely finished in white pine.

The third floor contains four good sized bed rooms with wardrobes in each and two good sized storage rooms.

The doors of the parsonage are finished with the best locks the market could furnish. The windows in the front part of the dwelling are of the best quality of plate glass and were furnished by Brockhoff Bros. The building is an ornament to the place and Rev. McArdle deserves great credit for its erection.

The carpenter work was done with skill and dispatch by the firm of J. H. Horn, who are experts in mechanical and electrical line of business and who deserve proper recognition by the public.—Horn.

Items of Interest.

Over five hundred towns in the United States have trolley cars.

The Hindoos have known Venus 2700 years. They call her Sukkar.

Certain parts of the hippopotamus hide attain a thickness of two inches.

The skin is the only part of the human body that is not hardened by age.

Single stones in the walls surrounding Baalbee weigh 3,000,000 pounds each.

With the present optical instruments in use, 50,000,000 stars are rendered visible.

The African ostrich has but two toes on each foot, and one of them have no claws.

The eggs of the Bahama cuckoo are held at \$100 per set by dealers in birds' eggs.

Seventy thousand pedestrians and 8,000 teams cross London bridge every twelve hours.

Some naturalists say that the whale was once a land animal, that took to the water for safety.

Elephants annoyed by flies have often been known to break off a branch and use it as a fan.

Oxen and sheep are believed by some stockmen to fatten better in company than when kept alone.

A westward ocean trip, between Europe and New York, is usually seven per cent. longer than an eastward one.

On official authority it is stated that there are twenty-six thousand Russians, other than Jews, resident in New York.

A Russian statistician estimates that fully forty per cent. of the people of Europe die of preventable infectious disease.

Before storing honey in trees, bees will clean the tree of all rotten wood and refuse. They never do anything by halves.

The new academy at Athens is built of marble from the same quarries which furnished the marble for the Parthenon.

It has cost Japan so far one hundred and fifty million dollars to see what war is like; but as China will eventually foot the bill, Japan can stand it.

Cats and several other animals have a false eyelid, which can be drawn over the eyeball, either to cleanse it or protect it from too strong a light.

Parrots are put to a practical use in Germany. They have been introduced into the railway stations and trained to call out the name which the train stands there, and thus save people the trouble of making inquiries.

A great invention is that reported in English papers—a typewriter worked by pneumatic action. Being nearly noiseless, a chief objection to the use of the machines in rooms where there are many writers or readers at work is removed.

—According to Patrick O'Farrell, S. C. Power, Mountain Eagle, has been granted a patent on a fence.

The Free Text Book Law.

The free text book law has worked like a charm in the public schools throughout the county and state. As an instance of what it has done we publish the following authoritative statement of the Bellefonte School board:

The attendance is much more regular, and progress made by the pupils is better. The increase of attendance is accounted for by the fact that no one is deterred from attending the school for want of books, or a sufficient supply of books.

In the Bellefonte schools the estimated cost of books per pupil is scarcely definitely settled, for the reason that during both 1893 and 1894 it was necessary to buy a large quantity of books. But the average cost for the two years will not exceed \$1.50 per pupil; and for the succeeding years it is believed it will not exceed 50 cents per pupil. The books used are purchased direct from the publishers and are thus obtained at a greatly reduced figure. It might be interesting to know just what they do cost, and where obtained, hence we give the following:

The American Book Company furnishes Swinton's grammar school geography at \$1.00; Swinton's introductory geography 45 cents; Barnes' U. S. history 80c.; Swinton's readers, No. 4, 52c.; No. 5, 72c.; Cathcart's literary reader \$1.15; Patton's natural resources of the United States 35c.

Grim & Co. furnishes American history (Montgomery's) for 83c.; general history (Meyers) \$1.25; Whitney & Lockwood's grammar 58c.; Graves' speller 21c.; Stickney's readers, No. 2, 27c.; No. 3, 33c.; No. 4, 42c.; No. 5, 50c.; Wentworth's grammar school arithmetic 33c.; Wentworth's algebra 33c.; Wentworth's plain geometry 33c.; Lockwood's lesson in English 33c.

The Christopher Bower Co. furnishes Book's new Union arithmetic 63c.; new primary arithmetic 10c.

Even Hurd & Co. is purchased Hutton's physical geography for \$1.00.

books at the prices above named as long as they are used in the schools. Many other supplies are also purchased from the American Book company. In the estimated cost per pupil these supplies also enter, so that the actual cost for books, exclusive of drawing books and material and all other supplies, will not, for the two years given, exceed \$1.00 per pupil.

There was no contest over the furnishing of books in this district. The publishing houses took off the hands of the school board, in some instances, one series of readers and substituted another. Barnes' series of readers and geographies were taken by the American Book company and Swinton's put in their place. In the Bellefonte schools the following other books are also used as readers: "Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin," "Stories of the Civil War," "Stories of Our Country," and "Stories of Our Fathers," published by different houses.

The books mentioned are now purchased direct from the publishers and the saving in the same runs from 33 to 60 per cent. over the old way of each individual purchasing their own books.

An Unusual Case.

What is considered a very unusual, if not entirely unprecedented case, came up in the Blair county court a few days ago, when Attorney Fisher of Altoona, petitioned the court to appoint a guardian for Mary Bleisher. The petition sets forth that the parents of the girl, who is not yet of age, declined to consent to her marriage to a young man who desired her hand. The appointment of a guardian is desired in order that he may authorize the taking out of a marriage license, which is now impossible owing to the opposition of the parents. The court granted a rule to hear arguments on the matter.

He Shot the Dog.

A burglar or thief entered the premises of Robert McCallmont Monday night about twelve o'clock when the dog, a very fine shepherd, disputed the right of the intruder to enter onto the premises at that time of night. The thief shot the dog, the ball taking effect below his eye. The poor dog, after being shot, made a pitiful cry and it is likely from the effects of the shot he will lose his eye, or possibly, may die. The second meal made good his escape.

A reward of fifty dollars is offered for the apprehension of the thief and his conviction in the court of quarter sessions of Centre county.

"MAMMA," asked Johnnie the other day as he reached home after school, "tell me quick; will I ever have a brother, 'cause I'll save him this Second Reader if he's comin', an' if he ain't, me an' Jo Hall is goin' to sell it an' buy taffy."

—By an account in the New York Sunday World another Bellefonte young man has gone sadly wrong.

CHRONIC INSANE.

Hospital Opened for the Reception of Patients on July 21—Now 556 Inmates.

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 13.—The first annual report of the trustees of the state hospital for the chronic insane has been sent to Governor Pattison. The report says that the equipment of the hospital is now complete, and that it was opened for the reception of patients on July 21, last. There were admitted up to Sept. 30, 1894, 458 men and 204 women, and there have been discharged seventy men and twenty-nine women. There are now 556 inmates.

The law says that only those who have been insane for a year and are able bodied, but some of the hospitals and poor houses sent patients who were not insane for a year and would not take care of themselves and they were sent back. The problem remains to be solved whether the chronic insane can be so employed that the profits of their labor will add sufficiently to the low per capita of \$2.50 per week allowed by law to enable the inmates to be effectively clothed, fed and maintained. This cannot be done if expenses are increased by the presence of those who are unable to contribute to their own support.

The receipts were \$19,777 and the expenditures \$9,686. The reports of Superintendent Ewing and the sub-officers, containing details of the operations, are appended to the trustees' report.

The Ingenious Device of a Young Inventor.

Walter Wilhelm, a 19 year old Buffalo boy, has caused quite a flurry in the electrical world by a novel invention which he has just completed. By it all telegraph lines can be converted into telephone and the dashes and dots of the ordinary ticker will be replaced by the actual voice at the other end of the line.

To bring about this actual transmission of a human voice by the use of simple telegraph instruments he has brought a microphone into play. With it he greatly increases the disturbance the voice produces on the diaphragm of the transmitter and this increases the sound waves per second which set the ordinary telegraph ticker working so fast that instead of being able to recognize distinct ticks its sound becomes that of the voice disturbing it at the other end of the line. The invention was discovered by accident.

Young Wilhelm being the proprietor of a private telegraph line in Buffalo which was used for telephoning along was talking, with an improved transmitter, to a friend, the conversation set every telegraph instrument on the line going and all the people heard the conversation as distinctly as if it had come out of a photograph.

The inventor is a son of Wm. Wilhelm Esq., of Buffalo, N. Y., and a grandson of the late Bernard Lauth, of Howard, this county. He has been considered an "expert" on the telegraph and telephone for several years, though his invention has jumped him into a wonderful prominence in the scientific world, for one so young in years. It is possible that he will show as much of the inventive genius that so distinguished his late grand-parent.

Charged With Libel.

Wilkes-Barre, Dec. 13.—David Bolton and David Thomas, of Edwarsville, were tonight tried on the charge of libel for burning in effigy John Jones and Mrs. Thomas Davis. The neighbors charged that Jones and Mrs. Davis had for some time been stepping beyond the bounds of propriety, and they had warned them that they must not continue to besmirch the character of the neighborhood. The warnings went by unheeded, and a company of twenty or more went to Mrs. Davis' house at midnight and burned the two figures in her front yard.

Mrs. Davis watched the flames from her window, and in the light detected several faces she knew. This morning she swore out warrants before Alderman Perkins for the arrest of Bolton and Thomas. When they were arrested a crowd of a couple hundred Edwarsville residents came over to the county seat, declaring that they were in the effigy party and requested that they also be indicted. The cause was postponed for a few days after a number of witnesses had been heard.

Murdered in the First Degree.

Uniontown, Pa., Dec. 13.—Frank Morris was found guilty of murder in the first degree this afternoon. He is but 17 years old. On September 13 he deliberately killed Bernard Loker, of Bullskin township, and fired two shots into Mrs. Loker, from which she has not yet recovered. It was reported that Mr. Loker had money and it is thought this prompted the deed. A plea of insanity was put in for Morris but there was no evidence to substantiate it further than that he was a reader of wild detective stories. He did not flinch when the verdict was announced.

Blow From His Engine.

Pittsburg, Dec. 13.—About 5 o'clock this morning, fireman F. B. Fogle, of the second section Atlantic Express, on the Pennsylvania railroad, was blown from the engine by a sudden gust of wind, as the train was nearing New Florence, sixty-five miles east of Pittsburg. Fogle's dead body was picked up a few minutes later by the train crew.

The wind was blowing a gale and the

train was running at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour. Fogle was 24 years of age married, and lived at Altoona.

A Daring Robbery.

Brockwayville, Pa., December 12.—A daring hold up occurred in this village last night. Two masked men entered E. B. Covill's jewelry store at 8 o'clock and covering the proprietor with revolvers, ordered him to hold up his hands. Mr. Covill did as directed. While one of the men aimed his revolver at Mrs. Covill who was present, the other rifled Mr. Covill's pockets taking his watch and pocketbook containing \$50. The robbers then turned out the lights, tied Mr. Covill's hands behind his back, and attempted to gag him. Mr. Covill called for help. The robber who was tying him exclaimed to the other "Don't shoot, we won't want to swing for this. He then pulled out a billy and struck Covill a blow on the head and the two dashed for the door. A couple of men came up at this time, but the robbers drove them to cover by firing three shots at them and then escaped.

Grangers' Officers.

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 13.—Almost the entire afternoon and evening sessions of the state grange were taken up with the election of officers. Worthy Master Rhone was re-elected by practically a unanimous vote. Ex-Senator S. N. N. Chester county was re-elected treasurer. The indifference of Col. Thomas as to his election resulted in the selection of J. T. Ailman, late Populist candidate for governor, as his successor. Mr. Wallace Chase of Tioga county was elected as gatekeeper and D. B. McWilliams a member of the finance committee.

No Truth in That Reduction Story.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 12.—There is no foundation for the story telegraphed last night that the coal operators of the DuBois, Clearfield and Beech Creek coal regions have decided to make another reduction of 5 cents a ton in the wages paid the miners, though operators and miners in the regions named are manifesting a good deal of concern over the contemplated reduction in the Pittsburg district.

Speedily Convicted of Murder.

Richmond, Ky., Dec. 12.—The trial of M. Taylor, for assassinating Magistrate Dole near here Friday night, was concluded here at noon today. The jury found him guilty and fixed the punishment of death. The jury remained out about thirty five minutes. This is the speediest trial ever known here and unparalleled in the state. He will be executed within thirty days.

Two Ways to Convict Seely.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—It was decided today that Seely, the bank embezzler, shall be turned over to the federal authorities and tried in the United States court in New York. In the event of failure to convict Seely in the United States court he will be turned over to the state authorities and tried on the indictments already returned against him in the state court.

Almost a Centenarian.

Mr. Jonathan Tresler, of Linden Hall has turned his 93rd year, and is still enjoying good health. Recently he went from Linden Hall to Pleasant Gap by train unaccompanied, on a visit to his son. His mental faculties are still sound and show no deterioration incidental to old age. For years he had been a user of tobacco, both chewing and smoking, but discontinued several years ago. Occasionally he uses a little liquor, but sparingly, and his habits are most regular. He does not wear glasses and his eyesight is still good. Carefulness in eating he says, is promotive of longevity, and he bears evidence of the fact. He is still good for many years to come.

The Human Electrical Forces!

How They Control the Organs of the Body.

The electrical force of the human body, as the nerve fluid may be termed, is an especially attractive department of science, as it exerts so marked an influence on the health of the organs of the body. Nerve force is produced by the brain and conveyed by means of the nerves to the various organs of the body, thus supplying the latter with the vitality necessary to insure their health. The pneumogastric nerve, as shown here, may be said to be the most important of the entire nerve system, as it supplies the heart, lungs, stomach, bowels, etc., with the nerve force necessary to keep them active and healthy. As will be seen by the cut the long nerve descending from the base of the brain and terminating in the bowels is the pneumogastric, while the numerous little branches supply the heart, lungs and stomach with necessary vitality. When the brain becomes in any way disordered by irritability or exhaustion, the nerve force which it supplies is lessened, and the organs receiving the diminished supply are consequently weakened.

Physicians generally fail to recognize the importance of this fact, but treat the great cause of the trouble, the brain, instead of the cause of the trouble, the brain. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, the universal brain and nerve food, is prepared on the principle that all nervous and many other diseases originate from disorders of the nerve centers. Its wonderful success in curing these disorders is testified to by thousands in every part of the land.

Restorative Nervine cures sleeplessness, nervous prostration, dizziness, hysteria, general debility, St. Vitus dance, epilepsy, etc. It is free from opiates or dangerous drugs. It is sold on a positive guarantee by all druggists, or sent direct by Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, \$1 per bottle, six bottles for \$5, express prepaid.

MYTON LOST THE RACE.

But He Gets the Judgement and The Money all the Same.

Huntingdon, Pa., Dec. 14.—A decision has just been rendered here by Attorney J. F. Schrock, auditor appointed to distribute the funds in the hands of the sheriff arising from the sale of personal property of Henry Davis, of near Petersburg, in which a delicate legal question was involved. Calvin Bell and McAllister Myton, both of Petersburg, were judgment creditors of Henry Davis to the extent of \$1,019 and \$1,326, respectively. Early last spring Davis's real estate became heavily incumbered, and in the hope that an execution against his personal property might result in the satisfaction of one claim, at least, Bell and Myton boarded the same train at Petersburg, April 26, and came to Huntingdon. Each was aware of the other's presence in the train and upon their arrival here it was a neck and neck race between the two to see which one would reach the court house first. Myton, who was 45 years old last harvest, is much the younger man, and led in the race from the start, but Bell was a good second. The latter evidently realized that he would finish in the same position, and he began the cry, "Stop, thief!" This was a signal for persons on the streets to pursue Myton. The crowd grew to great proportions by the time Myton was within 50 yards of the court house, and "Stop, thief!" "Catch the thief!" "Arrest him!" came from hundreds of voices. Myton was very near the entrance to the building when he was stopped at the point of a revolver by a police officer, and by the time he made satisfactory explanation and got through the crowd that surrounded him, Bell was in the court house and had his execution issued.

The amount realized from the sale of the personal property of Henry Davis is a trifle less than the amount of Bell's judgment, \$1,019. Auditor Schrock decided that Myton was entitled to the funds in the sheriff's hands, for the reason that his execution would have taken first place had it not been for Bell and others having him intercepted in the race.

He Was After Curtin.

A letter from the Confederate general, Imboden, to the editor of the Evening "Republican," tells of his scheme to raid Bedford Springs in August, 1862, and capture Gov. A. G. Curtin. Gen. Imboden says that he at first formed a plan to induce Gen. Lee to detail a cavalry force of 2,500 men to make a dash upon Pittsburgh by way of the Monongahela river, while Imboden, who was then on the upper Potomac, would make a strike on Altoona and blow up the engine. Lee would then give his consent and Imboden then lead that Gov. Curtin and Senator Simon Cameron were at Bedford Springs. Imboden set out for Hancock, Md., with about 1,000 men. There he intended to wait for further information and, if he received it, to make a night dash for Bedford, secure his prisoners, send them back to Virginia and go on for Altoona. Imboden goes on to say:

I waited an hour or two at Hancock in vain for the positive information I wanted, and for lack of which I turned back to Virginia. But for some inadvertence on the part of some one—perhaps an overzealous party for Gov. Curtin exciting suspicion—I might have gone on and captured him and his friends, who would have proved a "big card" in our hands to force exchange then in a muddle. In 1876-7 I became intimately acquainted with Gov. Curtin and often discussed this affair with him, and told him how much I regretted not forming his acquaintance at Bedford and showing him chivalrous hospitality in my mountain camp—an honor I surely should have had that night but for some one's blundering or my lack of nerve to push on.

They Do as They Please.

The town of Port Matilda, along the line of the Bald Eagle Valley railroad between here and Bellefonte, is gaining quite a reputation for its sporting proclivities. The fact that there is a licensed house and no police makes it a first-class place for sports to go to get on a howling drunk. An amateur theatrical company hailing from Philadelphia advertised to give a performance in that town last Saturday evening, and promised a fine entertainment. The sports after getting on the outside of considerable whiskey, went to the show and soon after started a row. The performance was declared a fake and the frightened actors forced to take to the streets without having time to change their costumes. The fighting was continued during most of the night and the Philadelphia Theatrical company was obliged to hoof it home through the mud and rain on Sunday morning. —Tyrone Times.

Use the Papers.

Now, as Christmas is coming on, and our merchants want to reach all the people, they are devising all means to accomplish that purpose. A card or circular thrown at the door may be read or carelessly glanced over by, possibly, one of the family. It is not thought of again, while an advertisement in a newspaper for a month or so is seen successively, and if not seen by all the first time, it will be before the time for which it is inserted has expired. Those who have succeeded in business by advertising have all given the credit to the newspapers. Individual advertising on cards, circulars, etc., may amount to a little, but nothing as compared with newspaper advertising, as nearly everyone reads a paper.

The Same Every Year.

Just at present the afternoons are the

shortest of the year, and they will continue to shorten until December 16th, when they will remain at a stand still until the 23rd, and then begin to lengthen. The mornings will be getting shorter by some minutes until January 8th, and then commence to lengthen gradually. The shortest day from sunrise to sunset occurs Dec. 21st—the day when the sun is nearest the earth, but when instead of shining perpendicularly upon our globe it sends its rays down obliquely and thus causes the atmosphere to be cold.

Death of David Sharer.

The village of Zion, as well as that entire community, lost one of its best and most highly respected citizens in the death of Mr. David Sharer, which occurred last Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at his home at that place. Several years ago Mr. Sharer fell from a cherry tree, receiving a spinal injury from which he never fully recovered. Last February he had a severe paralytic stroke, but after some time was again able to be about. During the summer he had another stroke, and later a third one, and for the past four months had been confined to his bed, being as helpless as a child. During all his sickness he was never heard to complain about anything. Mr. Sharer was a prosperous farmer, a strong, robust man, not knowing what it was to be sick until recently. His age was 61 years. The funeral which was largely attended, took place on Tuesday afternoon, the services being conducted by Rev. Lohr, of the Evangelical church, of which the deceased was a consistent member, assisted by Rev. Diehl, of the Lutheran church. Interment was made in the Zion Union cemetery. He leaves a wife and four children: Foster, living on the old homestead, near Zion; Mrs. Elmer Swartz, of Pleasant Gap; Mrs. William T. Royer, of Bellefonte, and Mrs. John Eby, of Zion. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community.

More Coal Lands Developed.

The Johnstown Tribune says: Less than two years ago what is now the site of the thriving town of Herminie, at the terminus of the Hempfield Branch railroad five miles south of Irwin, in Westmoreland county, was great pasture and farming fields. A few months time has wrought great changes. The first move toward cityfying this section was in April 1894, when the Ocean Coal company, having secured a solid block of 4,200 acres of the best of the Pittsburgh vein of coal, began work on sinking a shaft 285 feet deep. Recently a second shaft has been sunk, and both are being supplied with the most improved machinery and when completed, the capacity will be three wagons of coal a day. This annual production of 180 car loads in a day of twenty-four hours. Over 200 men find employment at present and it is expected that fully 600 miners will be employed when the mine attains its full capacity.

Most Remarkable Hailstorm.

The most wonderful hailstorm on record as having occurred within the United States was that at Dubuque, Iowa, June 16, 1892. It began at 2.35 p. m. and lasted but 13 minutes, but within that time hail fell to the depth of three feet. The hailstones, which weighed from one to two and a half pounds, were of all kinds of fantastic shapes and were woven around rocks, sticks, earth, beetles, frogs, etc.

County Journal.

D. Scott Currin who was editor and publisher of the Valley Chief, the office of which was destroyed at the time of the big fire in Mill Hall, will commence the publication shortly of a new paper to be called "The County Journal." The office of publication will be at Loganton and the first issue will appear on Christmas day.



THE SEAL

Of approval of 25,000 prominent physicians has been placed on Bovinine, the original raw food. It is acknowledged by them to be one of their greatest factors in the cure of all wasting diseases.

Bovinine

Is not a medicine, but a strength and flesh producer, giving to the patient at a critical moment the real strength—not that of a stimulant,—to tide over the crisis, and make the physician's skill available. For convalescent cases, chronic invalids and infants, Bovinine is invaluable. Sold at all druggists. The Bovinine Co., New York.

"A HANDFUL OF DIRT MAY BE A HOUSEFUL OF SHAME." CLEAN HOUSE WITH

SAPOLIO

Foods of Thought.

Individuality means egotism. Morning is the tonic of the day. Self confidence is rock bottom. Luck is the encouragement of pluck. The merit of self-abnegation is limited. Second nature is sometimes stronger than the first.

There is nothing in some pedigrees except length. The evil men do live after them; so does the good.

Beauty may incite love, but it cannot maintain it. Contentment is the triumph of mind over matter.

A letter of credit—one delivered with "postage due." The face value of a pretty woman is always up to par.

Many a man has ridden a "hobby" to fame and fortune.

A pure conscience is free from conceit. When I do not see clearly I am silent. The smallest hair throws its shadow. Anybody can be good and yet good for nothing.

Nothing can be truly great which is not right. Forbidden fruit doesn't always grow on the highest trees.

Few men work hard after they get old enough to know better. Lovers love poetry because poetry is not hampered by fact.

The unmet mischief of fools is all pervading and irremediable. The sun can't shine through a torpid liver.

The hardest worker isn't the greatest gainer.

Those who commit injustice bear the greatest burden.

It takes a good salesman to get what he asks.

A man must stand erect, not be kept erect by others.

We have often to play the game of life when we haven't any trumps.

Anybody can see through people who make spectacles of themselves.

To be a man's own fool is had enough; but the vain man is everybody's.

But what thou hast no need of, and ere long thou shalt sell thy necessities.

Swindled the Farmers.

The Sunbury Daily says that recently delivered a lecture on the "Folly Land" in a small village in that vicinity, after which he announced to the farmers that he would form a class for the purpose of graduating veterinary surgeons.

As a natural consequence, the farmers wanted to know how to doctor a sick horse and gladly gave the three dollars to become members of the class. The first lesson and organization was effected in the blacksmith shop. Another class was organized at Quigleville and a third at Salladburg, all having about one hundred scholars with the admission fee paid in. The storm interfered with a second meeting but did not interfere with the departure of the teacher, doctor and lecturer to Paris unknown.

—What has become of the Centre County Fair Association? Notwithstanding the fact that over ten thousand dollars' worth of stock has been subscribed, it is beginning to look as if it is going the same road the Bellefonte Board of Trade is traveling. Wake up, gentlemen! and let us have a Centre county fair next year.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN.				Aug. 6, 1894.				READ UP.			
No. 5	No. 3	No. 1		No. 2	No. 4	No. 6		No. 5	No. 3	No. 1	
p. m.	p. m.	a. m.	lv.	ar.	a. m.	p. m.		a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
8:30	9:45	7:00	Bellefonte	9:25	6:15	10:52		9:12	6:07	10:43	
8:41	9:56	7:11	N. York	9:37	6:27	11:03		9:24	6:19	10:55	
8:44	10:04	7:14	Zion	9:40	6:32	11:08		9:27	6:24	11:00	
8:48	10:08	7:18	Hecla Park	9:44	6:36	11:12		9:31	6:28	11:04	
8:54	10:14	7:24	Huntersburg	9:50	6:42	11:18		9:37	6:34	11:10	
8:58	10:18	7:28	Snyderstown	9:54	6:46	11:22		9:41	6:38	11:14	
9:00	10:20	7:30	Sittany	9:56	6:48	11:24		9:43	6:40	11:16	
9:02	10:22	7:32	Houston	9:58	6:50	11:26		9:45	6:42	11:18	
9:04	10:24	7:34	Lamar	10:00	6:52	11:28		9:47	6:44	11:20	
9:06	10:26	7:36	Clintonville	10:02	6:54	11:30		9:49	6:46	11:22	
9:10	10:30	7:40	Krider's Siding	10:06	6:58	11:34		9:53	6:50	11:26	
9:15	10:35	7:45	Mackeyville	10:11	7:03	11:39		9:58	6:55	11:31	
9:21	10:41	7:51	Cedar Springs	10:17	7:09	11:45		10:04	7:01	11:37	
9:27	10:47	7:57	Salona	10:23	7:15	11:51		10:10	7:07	11:43	
9:30	10:50	8:00	Mill Hall	10:26	7:18	11:54		10:13	7:10	11:46	
p. m.	a. m.	a. m.	lv.	ar.	a. m.	p. m.		a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.
9:52	9:55		Mill Hall	8:16	5:06			8:09	4:59		
10:25	10:30		Jersey Shore	7:40	4:40			7:33	4:43		
11:05	11:00		Williamsport	7:03	4:00			6:56	3:57		
p. m.	a. m.	ar.	lv.	a. m.	p. m.			a. m.	p. m.	ar.	lv.
11:15	9:30		lv. Wm. Pott	7:00	4:42			6:53	3:54		
7:12	10:12		Ar. Philadelphia	11:30	8:35			11:23	8:28		
			N. York via Tanq.								
			N. York via Phila.								
			Foot of Liberty St.								
7:30	3:30		lv. Wm. Pott	7:00	4:42			6:53	3:54		
a. m.	a. m.	(Foot of Liberty St.)	p. m.	a. m.				a. m.			
* Daily. * Week Days. 6:00 p. m. Sunday 7:10 a. m. Sunday.											

Philadelphia and New York SLEEPING CARS attached to Beach Creek R. R. train passing Mill Hall, east-bound at 9:52 p. m. West-bound at 8:16 a. m. J. W. GEPHART, General Superintendent.

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Time table to take effect Monday, Nov. 20th, 1894. Trains will run as follows, leaving the Pennsylvania Railroad station. Trains moving east. Trains moving west. READ UP. READ DOWN.

8:12	8:58	62	STATIONS.	8:1	9:7	8:11
p. m.	p. m.	a. m.		a. m.	a. m.	p. m.
8:45	9:31	6:45	Bellefonte	7:39	10:50	8:58
8:58	9:44	6:58	Coleville	7:57	10:57	9:00
9:12	9:58	7:12	Morris	8:11	11:02	9:14
9:25	10:11	7:25	Williamsport	8:24	11:15	9:27
9:37	10:23	7:37	Hunter Park	8:36	11:27	9:39
9:50	10:36	7:50	Phillipsburg	8:49	11:40	9:52
10:02	10:48	8:02	Harrisburg	9:01	11:52	10:04
10:15	11:01	8:15	Scranton	9:14	12:05	10:17
10:27	11:13	8:27	Buffalo	9:26	12:17	10:29
10:40	11:26	8:40	Altoona	9:39	12:30	10:42
10:52	11:38	8:52	State College	9:51	12:42	10:54
11:05	11:51	9:05	Scranton	10:04	12:55	11:07
11:17	12:03	9:17	Altoona	1		

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One inch (12 lines this type).....	\$ 5	\$ 8	\$ 12
Two inches.....	10	15	20
Three inches.....	15	22	30
Four inches.....	20	30	40
Quarter column.....	12	18	24
Half column.....	20	30	40
One column.....	35	50	65

All advertisements, whether displayed or blank lines, measured by lines of this type. All advertisements due after the first insertion.

Special notices inserted in our local columns at 20 cents per line for each insertion, unless otherwise agreed, by the month, quarter or year.

Editorial notices, in our local columns, 25 cents per line for each insertion. Professional or Business Cards, not exceeding 10 lines this type, \$5 per annum. All advertisements for a less term than three months 20 cents per line for the first three insertions, and 5 cents per line for each additional insertion.

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The New York Tribune, 1895.

FOREMOST OF AMERICAN WEEKLIES.

Circulation 168,000 Copies Every Week.

First to rally from the overwhelming defeat of 1892, The New York Tribune patiently labored for two years to awaken the sleeping judgment of the Nation. Possessing an enormous circulation, equipped with a staff of competent and honest students of public questions, and itself having no object to serve except the welfare of the masses upon the farms and in the shops, scoring lies and sensational appeals, and satisfied merely to place the truth before its readers, The Tribune has sent to half a million earnest and reflecting people, weekly, a budget of honest facts, sensible arguments and friendly suggestions, which have at last borne fruit in the elections of 1894. The work of the people, is however, only half done. It is necessary in 1896 to place in the chair which Grover Cleveland has not adorned, a constructive statesman of the republican faith. To this task The Tribune now addresses itself, and invites the support of every American citizen who desires a return of the "good old times."

Roswell G. Horr, ex-congressman from Michigan, but now of New York city, will continue to discuss tariff, currency, coinage and labor questions in The Tribune. By all odds the most witty, earnest and well-informed speaker upon the stump, he is every year sent by The Tribune to aid the local campaign in every part of the country. He keeps in constant touch with the people, knows the conditions, and addresses himself directly to the thoughts which make them.

He will gladly answer questions, asked in good faith, by readers.

All the regular features of The Tribune will be continued. For western readers a special array of western news is supplied. For eastern readers an eastern edition is printed.

It is the intention to make the paper especially helpful to farmers and mechanics. Each class has its department in The Tribune; and the new invention of mechanics, who lack the means to exploit the product of their brains, are advertised free of charge in the hope of aiding them to find a purchaser or a partner.

The market reports of The Tribune long acknowledged to be the best in the country, will maintain their old standard; and the usual variety of foreign news letters, essays upon home topics, book reviews, articles on chess and checkers, and miscellany will be presented every week. The editorial pages of the paper run up the most important news of the day, with comments.

The Tribune also prints, for the ladies, the very latest fashions from Paris and London, and there is a department of "Questions and Answers," conducted by a capable writer, in which all the questions of the people on miscellaneous topics are carefully answered.

The Semi-Weekly Tribune is an incomparable paper for residents who live beyond the range of the Daily Tribune, but find it necessary to keep in touch with the best thoughts and higher interests of the world at large.

A few premiums are offered to readers and club agents.

Any friend of The Tribune is cordially invited to send for sample copies and terms, and make up a club of subscribers. We would be especially pleased to see a large circle of readers in every workshop. The weekly, \$1; the semi-weekly, \$2; the Daily Tribune, \$10 a year. The Tribune almanac for 1895, ready in January, 25 cents a copy. THE TRIBUNE, 480-St. New York.

Funny But a Few Hours.

At the hearing of the seven colored men whom Officer Barr conducted to Bellefonte yesterday, five were held for court and two were discharged. The two against whom the charge of riot and assault and battery was not sustained, in their plea over the success in steering clear of punishment went to a house of questionable reputation in Bellefonte, and proceeded to tear up things in general about the place, after which they skipped the town on foot. Supposing that they would board the evening train at Milesburg, Officer Barr watched for them. His bearings were well taken. Telegraphing to Bellefonte that they were on the train, he received word at Bald Eagle to arrest them, which he did at Tyrone and conducted them back to Bellefonte by the evening train. They are quartered in jail now, and are not nearly so funny as they were yesterday. Warrants for the arrest of ten or fifteen of the rioters who were not caught, were issued at Bellefonte yesterday afternoon after the hearing of the seven mentioned.—Tyrone Herald.

A BRAVE ENGINEER.

Excitement at a West Pittston Colliery on Saturday Night.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., December 16.—The Stevens colliery, in West Pittston, operated by Jenkins & Co., was the scene of considerable excitement at a late hour last night. Shortly after 11 o'clock the engineer, Thomas Lloyd, discovered that the engine house was on fire. He made an effort to extinguish the flames with a few buckets of water, but was unsuccessful. The structure was very dry and the fire made rapid headway. Lloyd was alone in the building at the time, and he remembered that there were forty-six men in the mine. Without losing any time he ran to the telephone and gave the alarm in the mine.

The footman at the bottom of the shaft told the miners to throw down their tools and get on the cage as quick as possible. By this time the flames had surrounded the engineer on all sides. He patiently awaited the signal to hoist the men to the surface. At last he got the signal and brought up the cage with lightning speed, eighteen men being aboard. The carriage was then returned to the mine for the second load of human freight. On this trip ten men were brought up. The side of the building now collapsed and the burning timber fell around the brave engineer, who still held the lever. At last the remaining men got on the cage and in a few minutes all were brought to the surface safely. The engineer fainted from the excitement and exhaustion, but was quickly rescued by the members of the local fire department, who had now reached the scene. He was badly burned about the face and hands, but will recover. The fire caused damage to property amounting to about \$5,000.

He Stole the House.

Roulette, Pa., Dec. 16.—For many years Anson Maxwell lived in a house which he built on land in Ceres, Potter county, which he supposed belonged to him. Charles Smith recently discovered that the land was his instead of Maxwell's, and he notified Maxwell that he would have to vacate the house. Maxwell didn't move. He got some neighbors together, and when Smith went to take possession of Maxwell's house he found that the house itself had been moved 10 feet. That 10 feet took it out of Potter county, Pa., into Allegany county, N. Y. Maxwell has the house but he finds himself in a predicament. The house was not legally his, and consequently he stole the property. If he comes back into Pennsylvania, where his business is, he will be arrested, and if he remains in New York State he will have to give up his business. Moreover, he is liable to arrest in that State for having stolen goods in his possession.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 16.—It is not likely that C. A. Blixt, the self confessed murderer of Catharine King, will be hanged. He will be brought before Judge Hicks to-morrow, where he will enter a plea of guilty. Sentence will not be passed, however, until he has been used as a witness for the state in the case of Harry Hayward, and then it is expected that he will be given a life sentence. The court yesterday appointed three very able criminal lawyers to defend him, but, when they attempted to hold a consultation with him to-day, Blixt refused to have anything to do with them.

Harry Hayward will probably be arraigned to-morrow. He is still in the St. Paul jail and continues to protest that he is innocent and claims that when he tells his story there will be some sensational disclosures.

Beware of Ointments That Contain Mercury.

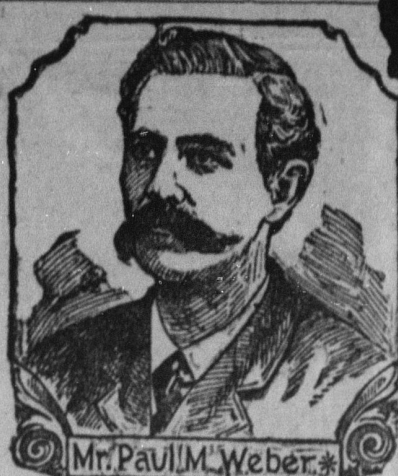
As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

Marriage Licenses.

Following is the list of Marriage Licenses granted by the Register of Centre county during the past week:

Robert Morrison, of Bellefonte, and Sarah Toner, of Springs.
David E. Williams and Mary C. Gates, of Walker twp.
Samuel W. Bryan, of Boggs twp., and Mary E. Confer, of Howard twp.
George J. Burchfield, of Altoona, and Cora J. McClellan, of Tusseyville.
Alfred Kerstetter and Mrs. Emma Zerby, of Lock Haven.
David F. Rider and Laura J. Gates, of Ferguson twp.
John L. Holmes, of State College, and Minnie E. Fye, of Ferguson twp.
Franklin E. Scantling, of Eagleville, and Mame Jackson, of Lock Haven.
John T. Watson and Laura Emma Confer, of Boggs twp.
John S. Dale and Caroline McE. Summy, of Lemont.

G.—A young son of David R. Thomas, of Buffalo Run, was kicked in the face by a horse on Sunday, and frightfully, though not seriously injured.



All Run Down

Always Tired, Sleepless and Without Appetite

Blood Vitalized and Strength Renewed by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.: 'For a couple of years, I was subject to feelings anything but good. I always felt tired, I could not sleep at night and the little I could eat did not seem to benefit me any.

I did not have any ambition to go around or work and in fact was not able to do a good day's work. I happened to pick up a circular embracing advertisements and testimonials for Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after reading it I decided to give Hood's Sarsaparilla a trial. I have taken five bottles and must say that I have derived wonderful benefit from it and

Feel Like a New Man. I would recommend it to all sufferers and would urge them not to hesitate but to decide at once to take Hood's Sarsaparilla." PAUL M. WEBER, 1112 North Tenth Street, Reading, Pennsylvania.

Hood's Pills are prompt and efficient, yet easy in action. Sold by all druggists. 25c.

Seven Arrested.

The smoking car of the Tyrone and Clearfield mail Saturday evening was the scene of a brief lively time. The car was occupied by about twenty colored laborers bound for the east and other passengers. A passenger had good reasons to resent an insult from one of the colored fellows, when a good number of others took a hand in attacking the passenger. Conductor Haupt interfered, but quiet was not restored until after several car windows had been broken. When the train arrived in Tyrone seven of the offenders were placed under arrest and taken to the borough lockup. They were brought to Bellefonte to-day and given a hearing before Justice of the Peace John B. Linn and then bound over for trial at the next term of court. Not being able to put up the required amount of bail they were remanded to jail. The offense was committed in this county.

American Gardening (New York city) is an illustrated magazine of horticulture, devoted to the culture of fruits, flowers and vegetables, trees and shrubs; the conservatory and the care of the home grounds.

Every person who admires the beauty and fragrance of flowers, or who cultivates fruits and vegetables for profit or pleasure, will find this magazine worth many times its cost to them. It aims to assist both the amateur and professional gardener in increasing the beauty and productiveness of Nature.

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An Arrest at Coleville.

The foreigners who occupy the houses belonging to the furnace company adjacent to Coleville, Pa., have been an intolerable nuisance to the property owners in that vicinity ever since they have been living there. They carry off fence rails, boards and everything they can make use of, which comes within their reach. This practice has become so intolerable that Amos Garbrick, had one of them arrested this morning by Captain Montgomery, who brought him before one of our Justices of the peace for a hearing. These depredators have been carrying on this pilfering so long that they feel, in this land of freedom, they are privileged characters and can take what they please. We are told, that in their native country, they would not touch anything which did not belong to them—because the punishment is so severe. It now seems an absolute necessity, that those having any portable property must be on the constant watch to prevent thieves from carrying it off in this community. This is a sad state of affairs, and the more lenient the law is with common thieves the more they will practice their rascality.

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Arrangements Being Made for Inauguration Day and His Entertainment.

Harrisburg, Dec. 16.—Gen. Hastings and family will be the guests of Mrs. Margaret Haldeman, widow of the late Congressman Richard Haldeman and daughter of the late Simon Cameron, and of Gov. Pattison and family at the executive mansion before the inauguration. On the last Saturday before the quadrennial event Gen. Hastings and family will leave Bellefonte for Harrisburg, and on his arrival they will be conveyed to the old Cameron mansion on Front street, where they will be entertained until Monday. On that day they will dine at the executive mansion as the guests of the Pattison's and lay plans for a four years sojourn in that imposing building.

The inauguration is expected to be one of the most notable in the history of these events, but the military feature of it will not equal some of its predecessors. Only three regiments of the National Guard, one battery of artillery and one troop of cavalry will constitute the military part of the parade. These organizations will be formed into a provisional brigade, the commander of which has not yet been designated.

Adj. Gen. Greenland and Col. Thomas J. Stewart have been in consultation relative to the inauguration, but definite action was deferred until the appointment of the inaugural committee, to be named at the beginning of the session of the legislature. The political club display in the parade is expected to be very large and fine.

Doings of the State Grange.

Harrisburg, Dec. 12.—At to-night's session of the State Grange the report of the legislative committee, Messrs. Leonard Rhone, Colonel R. H. Thomas, Hon. F. N. Moore, Hon. G. C. Brown, B. N. Warren and James G. McSparran, was adopted in its entirety.

This report is the most important one which will be passed upon by the Patrons of Husbandry, dealing, as it does, with the subjects of taxation, oleomargarine, tuberculosis, and the method of changing the manner of electing members of the state board of agriculture.

The report favors the tax bill, which is now in the hands of the state tax conference and which will be made public the last of December. It commends the liberal appropriation from the state treasury to the school fund and recommends a system of distribution of the state appropriation based upon the number of teachers rather than the number of taxables in a district.

The committee strongly favored a radical change in the present method of electing members of our state agricultural department.

It is against any change in the anti-oleomargarine law of 1885, passed mainly through the grangers' efforts, and favors an ample appropriation to the dairy and food commissioner to enforce the present law. It favors the bill recommended by Secretary Edge, of the state board of agriculture, relating to tuberculosis.

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The Pottsville Ministerial Association Wants Them Probed.

Pottsville, Pa., December 17.—At the call of the Ministerial association of Pottsville, a public meeting was held in Centennial hall this afternoon for the purpose of deciding whether there shall be an investigation of the conduct of certain officials and the methods in vogue at the county almshouse. Grave charges had been made at a meeting of the ministers last Monday and several of the officials were charged with gross and immoral actions towards some of the inmates.

The hall was crowded to-day with representative taxpayers from almost every town in the county. General J. K. Sigfried presided and Dr. J. K. Firey, pastor of the English Lutheran church of Pottsville; Dr. Gaul, of the Methodist Episcopal church, and a large number of other ministers from this, and other towns occupied seats on the stage. Dr. Firey made a statement in which he said that according to responsible witnesses the condition of things at the almshouse was something horrible and the most vile orgies had been or frequent occurrence in the past and even during the current year. He said the almshouse during 1893, and that \$30,000 had been expended for out door relief. Thirteen hundred dollars had been paid for liquor, of which \$800 worth had been consumed by the poor directors and other officials and their friends. Besides, the poor directors, were given an additional appropriation of \$15,000 by the county commissioners. It was time, he said, that there was a thorough investigation and the ministers were ready to take all of the censures for what they had done.

J. L. Sullivan, secretary of the democratic county committee, made an address in defense of Mr. Hartman and his management of the almshouse, and in the course of his remarks charged that the ministers were being used by unscrupulous politicians who objected to the reapportionment of Steward Hartman.

Rev. Powick, of the Shenandoah Methodist Episcopal church, then offered resolutions calling on the county auditors and the district attorney to make a full investigation and bring all miscreants to speedy justice. The resolutions were adopted and then the 600 or more tax payers adjourned.

The New York Tribune.

The enormous circulation of The New York Tribune, now the largest of any political weekly in the United States, undoubtedly did much to influence the country in the right direction in the late campaign. Having sharpened its arrow and spear afresh, The Tribune has again taken the trail for big game. To secure the presidency in 1896 for the republican party is now the object of its labors. The Tribune is a great paper, and is commended to our readers. Roswell G. Horr's articles on tariff, coinage and labor, are alone worth the price of the paper. Friendly to the old soldier, devoting much space to agriculture, and printing every week superb and absolutely unequalled market reports, editorially able and entertaining. It illustrates the news of the day profusely. Thousands of democrats take it for its articles on public affairs and its purity, decency and freedom from snarl. The Tribune stands like a rock against the reactionary policies of the democratic party. Every republican should have it. The Tribune almanac for 1895, out in January, and 25 cents a copy, will be valuable on account of its full returns of the phenomenal elections of 1894.

Lookout for Them.

We have been informed that there are two imposters traveling through the eastern end of the county, and are requested to warn all persons to beware of them. One calls himself Dr. Lytle, alias, Dr. Thomas, etc., from New York, or some where else. He is a Scotchman, about 48 years of age, wears dark beard well mixed with gray and cut short, dark clothes and is about 5 feet 8 inches in height. His companion calls himself Fay, and says he is from Altoona, Pa. He is a larger man, sandy moustache and minus three fingers on right hand. They drove two horses in a covered buggy.

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Neighborhood News.

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Mrs. William Rhote, of Williamsport, while temporarily insane, committed suicide by jumping into the Susquehanna river.

A notice has been posted at Reynoldsville calling on the mine workers to demand an increase in the price of mining on January 1st.

Rev. T. W. Rosensteel, the late pastor of St. Thomas' Catholic church, at Ashville, has been transferred to St. Matthews church, at Tyrone.

While in a fit of despondency, caused by illness to his family, Andrew Meyer, aged 45, of Altoona, hanged himself with a hitching strap in an outbuilding.

Rev. L. H. Kline, pastor of the Sinking Valley, Warriorsmark, Centre Line and Seven Stars Lutheran churches, has received a unanimous call to Manheim, Lancaster county.

The 18-year-old daughter of Enos Bennett, of Chaneyville, Bedford county, was instantly killed Tuesday by the accidental discharge of a gun her brother was handling. The contents of the gun struck the young lady full in the temple, causing instant death.

J. R. Carmon, merchant of Huntingdon met with a loss of about \$200 on Thursday night. The receipts of the day's business had been put in a bag and instead of being put in the safe, were deposited behind the safe. A thief broke open the back door during the night and in the morning the bag with the contents was gone.

The Houtzdale Journal says that the Berwind-White coal mining company has issued orders to the effect that miners who can, but will not pay just debts, will not be retained by the company and that board bills will be deducted from the statements. The orders are the result of writs of attachments issued against the company for board and other debts owing by some of its employees.

Mrs. Christ D. Keller.

Mrs. Ella, wife of C. D. Keller, died at Le Jose, Pa., on Monday evening. The deceased was known to many in this county, and was a daughter of the once well-known Bellefonte landlord, Robert D. Cummings. Her age was about 45 years. We have no further particulars.

Bellefonte's Prominence.

The snug and pretty town of Bellefonte, on the western slope of the Alleghenies, is just bulging out at the sides with the pressure of visiting statesmen from all the corners of the Commonwealth. It is seriously asserted that the Reading Railroad, with its direct line to Bellefonte by way of Williamsport, has put additional cars on its trains to accommodate the politicians flocking thither to tender themselves and interested advice to Governor-elect Hastings.—Philadelphia Saturday's Evening Star.

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Dec. 18, 1894. J. H. KLINE, Auditor.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION AND LIQUIDATION.—Notice is hereby given that the Graydale Mining Company limited, a joint stock company organized under the provisions of the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approved the 2nd day of June, 1874, and doing business in the county of Centre, was regularly dissolved at a meeting of the members of the Association held on the 1st day of December, 1894, and F. W. Crider, J. L. Kline, and Harry R. Curtin were elected liquidating trustees, who are "to wind up the concern," and distribute the assets as provided by law. All persons having claims against the Graydale Mining Company, limited, are requested to make immediate payment to the liquidating trustees, and those having claims are requested to present, duly authenticated.

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The committee, the report states, are of the opinion that a security to the full amount of the circulating notes issued is no longer necessary for the safety of the notes. The bill, the passage of which is recommended by the committee, does not require the deposit of bonds of the United States or of any other interest bearing obligations, but in lieu of such security provides:

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In conclusion the committee says: "The extraordinary conditions which confront the treasury department have constrained the members of the majority of the committee, while not agreeing to all the provisions of the bill, to concur in reporting the measure to the house for its consideration, each reserving to himself the right to offer such amendments as he may deem proper and to vote on the bill finally as he may determine."

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works, such as The Century War Papers and its Life of Lincoln, are the result of capital as well as foresight. Upon the war papers more than \$100,000 was expended, and the authors of the Lincoln life were paid \$50,000 for the serial rights. Joseph Jefferson received \$1,000 a month for his autobiography, and the pictures that accompanied it cost even more. The leading authors, like to have their best work appear in the leading magazines, and hence such periodicals as Harper's and The Century and Scribner's have their pick of ten thousand manuscripts a year. Their publishers are able to organize and send out costly expeditions, the results of which, it is expected, will be no less important than those of Mr. Kennan's famous journey through Siberia—"The Lounger," in the Critic.

The Columbia Desk Calendar.

For ten years the desk calendar issued by the Pope Manufacturing company has been a unique place among business helpers. Each daily leaf during that time has taught its quiet lesson of the value of better roads and outdoor exercise, and especially the benefits of bicycling. The calendar for 1895, which is just issued, is even brighter than its predecessors in appearance, as clever artists have added dainty silhouette and sketch to the usual wise and witty contributions that have heretofore given this popular calendar its charm. It can be had for five 2-cent stamps from the Pope Manufacturing Co., Hartford, Conn., or from any Columbia bicycle agency.

The Christmas number of Scribner's

Magazine presents a remarkable list of popular writers, including Rudyard Kipling, Robert Grant, H. C. Benner, Brander Matthews and George W. Cable. In illustration it shows a number of novel features. Oliver Herford produces a series of fantastic drawings which are curiously interwoven with the text of Brander Matthews' story in a manner new to magazine illustration. Another notable feature in illustration is the three frontispieces showing the best work of A. B. Frost, Albert Lynch and Emile Briant, each drawing being very original in sentiment and treatment. One of the richest illustrated articles ever published in an American magazine is the account of the great English painter, George Frederick Watts, R. A., by the eminent art critic, Cosmo Monkhouse, who writes from the fullest knowledge, and with the approval of the artist. There are twenty pictures representing the most characteristic phases of Watt's art, both the wood engravings and the process plates showing a delicacy that is seldom seen.

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DEATH IN THE WIND.

A Terrible Storm Devastates Portions of Georgia.

Atlanta Ga., December 12.—An electric storm prevailed over a large section of Georgia early this morning. It broke in Atlanta about two o'clock. In the lower part of the state, it was at its height between 3 and 4 o'clock. In some sections the storm was accompanied by a destructive cyclone, which moved in a general direction from south to north.

At Reynolds, in Taylor county, the destruction was appalling. A special to the Constitution says that everything in its track was swept away like chaff. Ten houses, with household effects, are total wrecks. Eighteen or twenty houses are partially destroyed. All the large trees in the portion of the town are uprooted. The part of the cyclone was over 100 yards wide. A number of persons were injured, but as reported no one was killed.

Forsyth, Ga., December 12.—A terrible tornado reached Forsyth about 3 p. m. to-day. Many persons were injured and a property loss of from \$30,000 to \$50,000 resulted. The Methodist church, valued at \$18,000, was completely destroyed. The people became panic stricken. Every store on the west side of the public square was unroofed, and many other buildings had roofs torn off and contents deluged with water. The worst losers are C. M. Bloodworth & Co., Proctor & Buddleston, and W. W. Hasworth, whose places were demolished.

Death of John Harris.

At five o'clock this morning Mr. John Harris died at his home on Curtin street, aged about 60 years. For a number of years past Mr. Harris has been a sufferer from that scourge of this northern clime, consumption, and for a number of weeks now had been confined to his bed. He was a brother of Mr. James Harris, the hardware dealer, and for years conducted the drugstore now owned by Krumrine brothers.

He is survived by his wife and seven children; namely, Joseph D., of Fort Wayne; Edward G., Charles M., Jennie, George, Anna and May at home. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the house.

A Quiet Wedding.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, on Wednesday Dec. 8, 1894. The contracting parties being Mr. Grant Swayers and Miss Blanch Tippet, two very estimable young people of our town. The happy couple were pronounced man and wife by Rev. E. E. Manley, after which the guests were invited to the dining room where a sumptuous repast was partaken of. The guests present were, Mrs. Swayers, Mrs. Tippet, F. M. Swayers, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lucas, Rev. E. E. Manley and wife, Miss Martha Lucas, Alfred Lucas and Miss Myra Poulson. Our best wishes are that this couple may live long and enjoy much happiness. The gifts were numerous and valuable.—Herald.

Death of Charles Lohr.

Charles Lohr, aged 20 years, died at the home of his grandfather, Mr. William Lohr, at Centre Hall, on Monday about noon. Cause of death was consumption. Mr. Lohr was a highly respected and intelligent young man. The funeral will take place Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Harry Hibler, of Erie Pa., but formerly of this place, is at present a guest at his father's residence, on Allegheny street.

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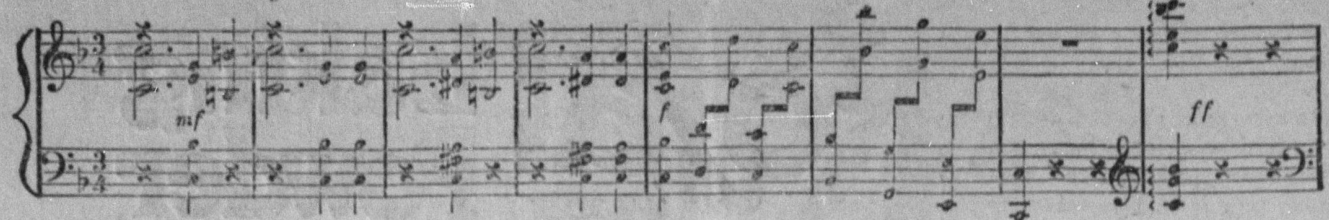
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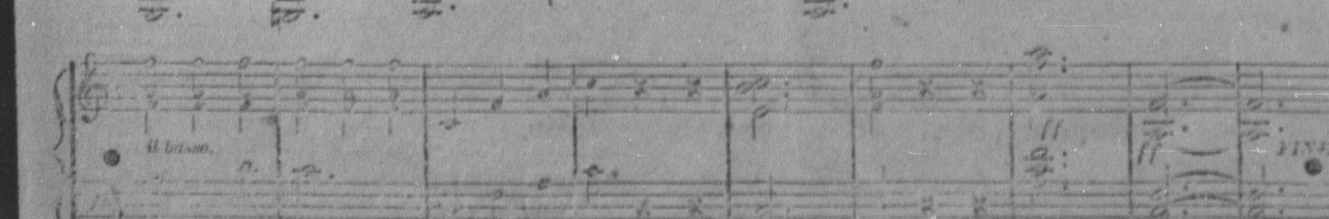
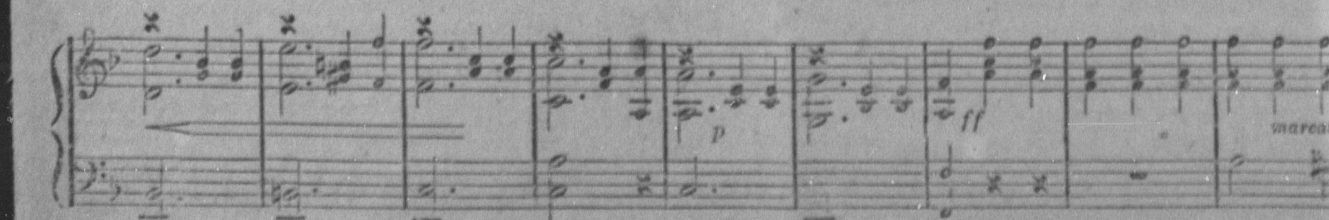
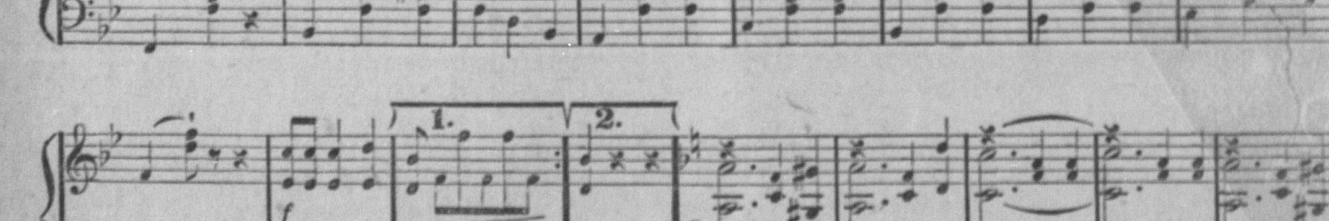
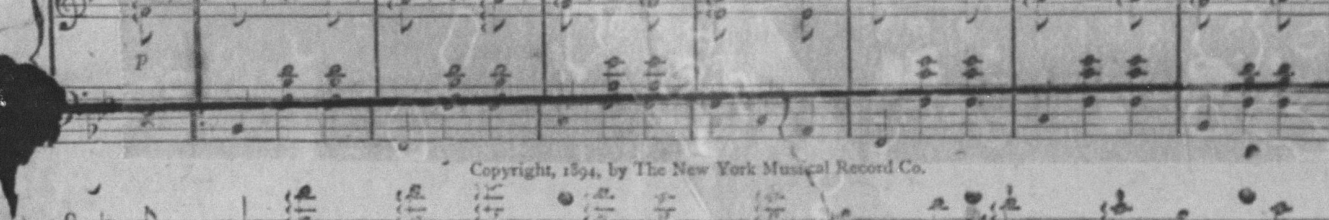
IDOL OF MY HEART.

HENRY GREENO.

INTROD.—Allegro moderato.



Tempo di Valse.



Idol of My Heart—2.

Foods of Thought.

Time heals all wounds but nothing short of a miracle can remove the scars. The man who would have done so if he had been there never gets there.

The truly generous is the truly wise; and he who loves not others lives unblest.

A craving for sympathy is the common boundary line between joy and sorrow.

He who puts a bad construction on a good act reveals his own wickedness of heart.

Truth should be the first lesson of the child, and the last aspiration of manhood.

Life appears to be too short to be spent in nursing animosity or registering wrong.

The manner of giving shows the character of the giver more than does the gift itself.

Language cannot express to any one much beyond what he has lived or experienced.

Be not afraid of enthusiasm; you need it; you can do nothing effectually without it.

It is supposed that when lays an egg because she can't stand it on end.

When money talks even the purist does not stop to criticize its grammar.

Genius unexcited is no more genius than a bushel of acorns is a forest of oaks.

A dog is not a flatterer. If he is your friend or enemy, you know it right off.

Wise men laugh at most things in this life; it is only the fools who gap and swallow.

A Big Bloodhound.

The largest bloodhound in the world is with Stetson's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. He weighs 203 pounds and cost \$1,000.

The undying, inevitable Uncle Tom's Cabin appeared at the Opera House last evening under the successful management of G. P. Stetson. It is the best dramatization of this celebrated play ever presented here, and the specialties were of a high order.

This combination could not do otherwise than immensely please the large audience in attendance. The reader is so thoroughly conversant with this piece that any mention would be a needless repetition, yet credit must be given to those enacting the roles as having assisted in a grand production.

Of the specialties the dancing of the Topies was a fine exhibition of suppleness and dexterity. This the audience were not slow in appreciating. The natural melody of the Lone Star Quartette, in their southern songs, the overture of the orchestra and the mandolin student were equally entertaining in the extreme.

A calcium light situated in the key of the gallery arcades rich glowing colors over the tableaux with charming effect.—*Brighton (N. J.) Daily Star.*

The above mammoth aggregation will be in "relief" at Carman's opera house Thursday evening Dec. 20th. Don't fail to see it.

Curiosities of the Calendar.

The 1st of April and 1st of July in any year, and in leap year the 1st of January, fall on the same day of the week. The 1st of September and 1st of December in any year fall on the same week day. The 1st of January and the 1st of October in any year fall on the same week day, except it be a leap year. The 1st of February, of March and of November of any year fall on the same day of the week, unless it be a leap year, when January 1, April 1 and July 1 fall on the same week day. The 1st of May, 1st of June and 1st of August in any year never fall on the same week day, nor does any of the three ever fall on the same week day on which any other month in the same year begins, except in leap year, when the first of February and the 1st of August fall on the same week day.—*Boston Home Journal.*

A Business-Making Book.

Every business man ought to read "Dollars and Sense," a money-making book by Nathaniel C. Fowler, Jr., the leading expert on business and advertising. 18 chapters, illustrated with 100 plates, presenting every style of effective advertisements, with examples of reading notices, circulars and headlines. It tells the plain truth about advertising and exposes ineffective methods. Any reader of the BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN who will send check, postal note, or postage stamps to the value of twenty-five cents to The Trade Company, Boston, Mass., will receive the book by prepaid mail.

—The color of stationery Gen. Hastings uses in answering letters of applicants for office is a sickly pale-blue tint. Wonder if it has anything in common with the feelings of the recipient when he notes the contents enclosed.

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A Merald of the Infant Year.

Clip the last thirty years or more from the century, and the segment will represent the term of the unbounded popularity of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. The opening of the year 1895 will be signalized by the appearance of a fresh almanac of the Bitters, in which the uses, derivation and action of this wonderful medicine will be lucidly set forth. Everybody should read it. The calendar and astronomical calculations to be found in this brochure are always astonishingly accurate, and the statistics, illustrations, humor and other reading matter rich in interest and full of profit. The Hostetter company, of Pittsburg, Pa., publish it themselves. They employ more than sixty hands in the mechanical work, and more than eleven months in the year are consumed in its preparation. It can be obtained without cost, of all druggists and country dealers, and is printed in English, German, French, Welsh, Norwegian, Swedish, Holland, Bohemian and Spanish.

—A force of men were at work all day Sunday repairing a leak in the steam heat pipes near the stone school house.

In Accord With Its People.

It seems somewhat strange that the finest company armory in the State should have been built at Bellefonte rather than in Philadelphia, Pittsburg or one of the larger cities, but Bellefonte is a great little place, producing more than its share of famous Pennsylvanians. Company B, of the Fifth Regiment, for which the armory was built by Lieutenant Colonel W. Fred. Reynolds, of the Governor's staff, at a cost of \$20,000, was organized before the war by such men as Andrew G. Curtin and James A. Beaver. Curtin was Captain, and three years later became Governor of the State. Beaver who was a Corporal in the original company, then known as the Bellefonte Fencibles, distinguished himself during the war, and he also became Governor. Bellefonte is as much the home of Governors as Virginia used to be of Presidents, having furnished three Governors for the State in the last 30 odd years.—*Philadelphia Ledger.*

—After a brief cessation during Friday and Saturday, the rush of office seekers after General Hastings began again to-day in about as large numbers as in past weeks.

Bellefonte Republican.

To Correspondents.—No communication published unless accompanied by the name of the writer. Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper, and avoid the use of pale or fancy ink.

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Local Department.

To Advertisers.

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Make no great display;
But little drops of printer's ink
Turn the tide your way.

No Paper Next Week.

Next week being holiday week no REPUBLICAN will be issued from this office. The office, however, will be open for job work and the transaction of other business and on January 3rd the paper will appear as usual.

—The Pittsburg Times says Bellefonte looked bluer than it felt on Friday. It might have added that there was just enough old gold around to give it a rich coloring.

—A number of additional arrests were made on Monday of parties implicated in the free-for-all fight on the Tyrone and Clearfield train Saturday evening. They were all brought here and lodged in jail.

—Monday was Baby Sara Hastings' birthday and the little Miss will therefore be just a year and one month old when her papa is inaugurated Gov. of Pennsylvania.

—Notwithstanding the fact that the deer season closed Saturday last, there are several camping parties in the woods yet, who are there ostensibly for the purpose of capturing that animal.

—A bill will be introduced into the coming session of the legislature to fix the liability of overseers of the poor for the support of paupers who move from one township to another, which practice now causes many law suits.

—Edward Bellamy, the author of "Looking Backward," is to tell in the next issue of The Ladies' Home Journal what he believes a "Christmas in the year 2000" will be like.

—If Bellefonte merchants would advertise as extensively as merchants in the surrounding towns they would do a correspondingly large business. There is nothing pays so well as a good advertisement in a live paper.

—An improved apparatus for making gas is being set up in the Bellefonte gas works. It is expected, when the same is completed that it will greatly improve the service here as well as neutralize the cost of manufacture.

—The political editor of the Harrisburg Patriot seems to be better informed regarding the intentions of Governor-elect Hastings than even that individual himself. But then, some people are born with unusually big heads as well as fertile imaginations.

—We were favored on Friday with a call from Lieut. William F. Richardson, of Mahanoy City. Mr. Richardson is quartermaster of the Eighth regiment, and is now a candidate for keeper of the state arsenal under Governor Hastings. He has served almost twenty years as a member of the National Guard and is a capable, trustworthy gentleman; and Gen. Hastings could not select a more worthy gentleman.

—The boy who saves one cent every day will find himself the possessor of \$950 when he has reached his fiftieth year. Should he lay by ten cents every day he will have a fortune of \$9,504 and by saving a dollar every day the sum of \$95,041 will accumulate in fifty years, provided the savings have drawn six per cent. interest.

—Monday morning, while practicing athletics in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, Ward Willard, one of the DAILY NEWS carrier boys, fell from some place and fractured his wrist. The injured member was given proper surgical attention and Wardy was able to be out and around again in the afternoon.

—There was a genuine free-for-all fight among the colored population on Academy Hill Monday afternoon, in which several bloody faces were made, one broken nose and some other slight injuries; the affair ending up with the arrest of the participants. The cause of the disturbance was an over load of "fire water."

—We are sorry to record the death of one of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bauselough's triplets, which occurred on Tuesday afternoon from pneumonia. The child was over one year old. The other two are also ill. The funeral will occur Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock interment to be made at the Forge cemetery.

—A rumor is current that a Patton township school teacher mercilessly beat a boy recently because he had stayed away from school without the teacher's permission, though the father of the child had told him he could do so. The boy was flogged with a club until he was terribly bruised and cried for mercy.

—The Pennsylvania R. R. Co. will sidetrack a limited number of sleeping cars at Harrisburg, during the inauguration of General elect Hastings. This will afford a comfortable journey, and insure sleeping accommodations for those attending the ceremony. A twelve section car will accommodate forty-eight persons. Charges about \$45 per day per car. Application for these cars should be made as early as possible.

THE ARMORY DEDICATED.

One of the Most Brilliant Social Occasions Ever Witnessed in Bellefonte. Who Were Here.

Friday, December 14th, will mark an epoch in the history of Company B, Fifth regiment, N. G. P., that will long be remembered by the people of Bellefonte and vicinity and, especially, the members of the company who were most interested and benefited. It was the occasion of the dedication of the new armory erected for the company by Col. W. Fred Reynolds, of this place. For the past month or so the Bellefonte soldier boys have worked hard to make Friday's occasion a success, and the result proved the efficiency of their labor. About nine hundred invitations were sent out, and the attendance was extraordinarily large, and included in the vast assemblage were the most illustrious men from all parts of this great Commonwealth. The guests began to arrive as early as Thursday evening and Friday morning's trains brought a large number to town; also the Second Brigade Band and Orchestra, of Pittsburg. But when Friday evening's trains arrived the biggest number of prominent visitors made their appearance. Attached to the Lewisburg train which arrived here at 4.45 were two special Pullman cars, containing the Philadelphia and Harrisburg delegations, including Governor Pattison and party. They were met at the depot with carriages and driven to the several places of entertainment selected for them. Governor and Mrs. Pattison being the guests of Gen. and Mrs. Hastings. The soldier boys in full-dress uniforms, were busy all day escorting visitors around town and making final preparations, and in the evening, arrayed in white duck trousers and blue coats, they acted as ushers, etc., at the reception.

As early as 7.30 o'clock carriages could be seen in large numbers and all were headed for the Armory. At 8 o'clock the distinguished party made their appearance and the reception began.

The patronesses of the occasion were ably assisted in receiving the vast crowd present, which numbered in the neighborhood of five hundred, by that noble triumvirate of past Governor, present governor and future governor, Gen. Beaver, Gov. Pattison, and Gen. Hastings. And just here it might be said that never on any former occasion was such a trio found assembled together.

Under existing circumstances it was deemed advisable to dispense with all speech making and the reception and social chat continued uninterruptedly for one hour. During this interval everybody present, probably, had met everybody else shaken hands, exchanged greetings and were ready for the greatest social event of the occasion, the grand military ball which would begin at 9 o'clock.

It was just promptly at the hour named when the Second Brigade orchestra struck up a lively tune and the grand march began with Governor Pattison and Mrs. Hastings leading off. It was certainly a beautiful sight to see all those able, prominent and distinguished men of state, laying aside for one evening the cares and duties of official life, and resplendent in full dress suits and uniforms, enjoy themselves as only one can enjoy the intermingling with people of prominence, on such an occasion as this. There were high military officers in the full-dress uniform of their rank; civilians, resplendent in spotless linen and broad-cloth, and beautiful ladies bedecked in the most bewitching and charming of costumes, truly making a picture of rarity never excelled, if ever equalled, in any town in the State.

From 9 o'clock until half-past eleven the dancing continued without cessation. At 11.30 there was a brief intermission when refreshments were served in the gun room on the first floor of the armory. These were served by caterer Joseph Ceaders, and consisted of rolled bread, tied with red, white and blue ribbon; meat sandwiches, salads on plates garnished with lettuce, assorted creams, cakes and hot coffee. At twelve o'clock dancing was again resumed and continued unremittingly until the entire set of twenty-four pieces had been tripped off, which was after two o'clock this morning, when all went to their respective homes, well pleased with the entertainment and highly delighted that Company B should at least have such a delightful home for the future.

The new armory has been described so often and at such length, in the columns of this paper, that we need now but give but a brief description of it.

The finish of the building is unique, both the exterior and interior. Its size is 124 feet in depth by 80 feet in width and is situated on the corner of Spring and Lamb streets. It is two stories in height the first story being of stone and the second story of brick, rock face finish. The first story consumed three hundred and fifty thousand brick. You enter the second story of the building from the pavement on Spring street through an arched door twenty feet wide and twelve feet deep. The drill room, or floor, is 90 by 78 feet; the stage is 50 by 23 feet with two dressing rooms at each end. The height of the drill room from floor to square is 17 feet, and to the roof 40 feet. At the end of the room, opposite the stage, are two rooms one for the officers of the company and the other to be occupied as a business office. A gallery extends across the east end of the building. The armory room is in the first story with a stairway leading to the drill room. The drill room floor is

laid in beech, maple and oak. The inside walls are brick laid in solid mortar. The timbers of the roof are painted a light buff and the iron black. The immense structure is warmed with steam heat, lighted with arc lights and the total cost of the building is about twenty-five thousand dollars.

Mr. John Noll was the contractor for the stone work; Mr. Frank Wallace, contractor for the brick work and Mr. H. F. Bartley, carpenter, done the wood work, all being residents of Bellefonte. Samuel Williams done the painting and decorating and R. G. Schad & Bro, did the plumbing, and McClosky & Bro, of Lock Haven, furnished the slate and roofed the building.

It might be in place just here to give a brief history of Company B. It was organized in 1880 as the Bellefonte Pencilers and soon after was made a company in the National Guard. It at all times maintained a high standing in the guard, and when on duty both at Homestead and Punxsutawney, the boys did good work, being always in the front ranks. During the past year the company was entirely reorganized, but so hard did the officers work to bring it up to a high standard, that to-day it has as good standing as any company in the guard almost. Its present officers are Captain W. F. Reber, First Lieut. W. F. Reeder, and Second Lieut. George L. Jackson.

As to the builder of the new armory, Col. W. Fred Reynolds, he is now so well known here that there is no necessity for any eulogy on his part. Suffice to say that his show of progressiveness and public-spiritedness is a matter which will not soon be forgotten by the people of Bellefonte.

Among the prominent guests here from a distance can be mentioned the following:

Gen. Frank Reeder, of Easton, who has been selected Secretary of the Commonwealth by Gov-elect Hastings; Governor Pattison, Commander in Chief of N. G. P.; Adjutant Gen. Greenland, Harrisburg; Alexander Krumphar, Philadelphia; Inspector General Chambers McKibbin, of Pittsburg; Quartermaster General O. E. McCellan, of Philadelphia; Col. Henry D. Paxton, Philadelphia; Commissary Gen. Richard S. Edwards, Philadelphia; Col. George W. Ryan, Pottsville; Surgeon Gen. Lewis W. Reed, Norristown; Col. Rollin H. Wilbur, South Bethlehem; Col. James Duffey, Marietta; Col. Wyle T. Wilson, Philadelphia; Col. Saverly Bradley, Philadelphia; Col. A. D. Seeley, Berwick; Col. John M. Siegfried, Warren; Col. W. Fred Reynolds, Bellefonte; Maj. Gen. Geo. R. Snowden, Philadelphia;

Col. George H. North, Philadelphia; Col. Wm. J. Elliott, Philadelphia; Col. Chas. S. Green, Philadelphia; Col. S. S. Hart, Philadelphia; Maj. B. D. Evans, Harrisburg; Maj. David Lewis, Jr., Philadelphia; Maj. James A. G. Campbell, West Chester; Col. Edward Morrell, 3d Reg., Philadelphia; Lieut. Col. McGinnis, 3d Reg., Philadelphia; Commander B. K. Wright, Jr., 1st Battalion State Naval Militia, Philadelphia; Lieut. Courtlandt K. Bolles, State Naval Militia, Philadelphia; Gen. John A. Wiley, Franklin, Pa.; Maj. Chas. Miller, Franklin; Maj. Frank K. Patterson, Freeport; Maj. Jacob J. Miller, Pittsburg; Maj. A. J. Logan, Pittsburg; Maj. W. J. Singer, Bellefonte; Maj. Samuel Haslett, Washington, Pa.; Capt. John P. Penny, Pittsburg; Capt. John W. Elder, Clarion; Capt. S. W. Jones, Sheridan Troops, Tyrone; Col. Theodore Barchfield, 5th Regt., Altoona; Lieut. R. C. Elder, Lewistown; Maj. John P. Kennedy, Blairsville; Maj. R. C. McNamara, Bedford; Maj. A. S. Stayer, Altoona; Adj. H. C. Quigley, Bellefonte; Quartermaster, S. H. Williams, Bellefonte, and many others of military renown, including the staff and line officers of the Fifth Regiment. The United States Army was represented by Capt. Booth, Lieutenants Paxton and McCaskey, and the United States Navy by Lieutenant Kin-kaid.

It must also be mentioned that the decorations Friday evening were more elaborate than anything ever seen in Bellefonte. The work was done by a Harrisburg decorator, while Florist Baldwin furnished the floral decorations.

Pennsylvania's Debt.
Pennsylvania considering its vast resources, has only a nominal debt, amounting to \$6,841,150. Of this sum much the greater part, or \$6,164,150, is not due until the summer of 1912. The remaining \$687,000 is not due until 1922. It can all be paid by the operators of the sinking fund. The payments into this fund last year amounted to \$979,291.

Last Days for Registering.
Persons desiring to vote at the elections in February will be compelled to register before Friday next, the 21st inst. The registry lists are being prepared and the assessors of the various precincts will sit on Wednesday and Thursday at the polling places on those days from 9 to 3 during the day and 6 to 9 in the evening. Persons should examine the registry and see if their names are upon it.

To Commanders of the U. S. A. R.

The service in the memory of the late ex-Gov. A. G. Curtin will be held in the new armory of Company B in Bellefonte on Friday Dec. 21, 1894 at 7.30 p. m. All comrades of G. A. R. are requested to meet in with Gregg Post in their rooms at 7 p. m. sharp, to march in a body to the armory.

THOS. DORACHY, Commander.
F. PHELPS GREENE, Adjutant.

TEACHER'S INSTITUTE.

What Was Done by the Centre County Teachers.

The 48th Annual Session of the Teacher's Institute of Centre county opened at 1.30 on Monday afternoon with 254 out of a total of 267 teachers present. The time Monday afternoon was entirely taken up with discussions on general education by Hon. Henry Houck, deputy State Superintendent of public instruction, and Dr. A. E. Winship, of Boston, Mass.

Monday evening Hon. Henry Houck delivered a brilliant lecture on the subject "Bound to Win."

The session this morning opened with the usual exercise of singing, conducted by Prof. Swift, which was followed by roll call, 252 teachers answering the call.

Supt. Loe, of Philipsburg, was then introduced. He announced as his subject "Gradation of C Schools." Mr. Loe had a course of study printed and these were distributed to the teachers. The professor said few teachers realized the advantages of proper gradation and classification. It makes a school progressive. Pupils will remain longer in graded schools. The office of the teacher is a very important one. Education to be complete must have heart education as well as mind. The Prof. talk was an excellent one throughout.

At this point institute arose and sang "The Gypsies Life." Prof. Swift followed with a discussion on reading music. In order to make it more readily understood he presented a chart which contained all the essentials necessary to reading music; after singing "Harvest Home" Hon. Henry Houck, ascended the platform and gave a practical talk on how to properly teach spelling, at the conclusion of which the Ritual of Patriotism was distributed to the teachers by Supt. Gramley.

Dr. Winship was again introduced and he spoke in a general way on "Rural School Work." In the city the boys and girls never see their teacher outside of the school room, but it is different in the country. There the teacher and scholars come in daily contact with each other, thereby causing greater sympathy between them. Choose the appetite without the school, rather than the school without the appetite. The most obscure teacher need not feel lost to the world if he will apply himself to the work. Adjourned.

A Trip to State College—Third Day's Proceedings.

Promptly at 12.30 o'clock the train, which carried the teachers and their friends to State College, left the depot at Bellefonte. After a pleasant ride of a little over

an hour, the teachers found themselves on the college campus, but they did not remain standing there but quickly entered the main building and were shown into the chapel where the third session of the institute was held. Upon the platform were quite a number of distinguished gentlemen. Prof. Gramley called the institute to order, and then introduced Dr. Geo. W. Atherton, president of the college, who made an address of welcome. He made the teachers feel quite at home by saying "you belong to us." He said he regretted it very much that they were having their examinations at the time, as the teachers could not get a very good idea of the work which was being done there. One of the things which he said that carried a great deal of thought with it was that the prosperity of the college depends largely upon the support it receives from the teachers of the public schools. He expressed the desire that all come again sometime during a term of school. The Prof. said that he had received one of the manuals prepared by Prof. Gramley, and found everything advertised therein but the State College. While making some of the announcements, Prof. Gramley got it back on the Prof. by saying that he thought their going there in a body was better than any advertisement they could have, and that it didn't cost the institution any money.

Mr. Houck, was then introduced and responded in his usual happy style. He said he had been in every institution of learning in the state, in some of its big jails and asylums, but he had never before visited the State College.

After Mr. Houck had taken a seat, the audience was divided up into seven sections, each under the guidance of a member of the faculty. About an hour and a half was then allotted to the teachers for visiting the different departments. Although the time was limited and they could take but a glance at the many things of interest which were there, yet it was made very interesting by the members having the sections in charge. About ten minutes before 4 o'clock the teachers again assembled in the chapel for the concluding exercises which were very brief owing to the limited time.

Gen. Beaver and Prof. Sparks made some brief remarks upon the importance of industrial training. They were followed by Dr. A. E. Winship, of Boston, who had no particular theme but spoke in a general way. At times he became quite patriotic. He said he thought Pennsylvania the finest state in the union. He was sorry that the name was ever abbreviated to Pa.

Prof. D. M. Wolf arose and moved that a vote of thanks be tendered Dr. Atherton and the Faculty for their courtesy. It was promptly seconded, and when called upon to vote everybody arose in a body.

The time had now come for the drill, which, owing to the condition of the ground, took place in the armory. The boys in blue elicited loud applause from

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those who were privileged to witness them drilling.

The train left State College at 5 o'clock. Everybody thoroughly enjoyed the trip and were highly pleased with the attention they received from the Faculty and the students, who did all they could to make the trip profitable as well as pleasant. Prof. Gramley deserves a great deal of credit for the pains he took in making the trip pleasant.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The fourth session of institute opened with a song after which Rev. M. O. Noll conducted devotional services. After a brief song service Supt. Gramley read a circular sent out by the Pennsylvania Forestry Association offering a list of prizes for the best essays on the "Preservation of Forests." He also made announcement of the teacher's association state convention to be held at Mt. Gretna, July 1st, 1895.

The first speaker of the morning was Supt. Loe, of Philipsburg, who resumed his talk of Tuesday morning. The circulars he had prepared on a system of gradation and classification were distributed among the teachers. The speaker clearly showed that reading was one of the most important lessons taught in the schools. Vocal music should have a regular place in the schools.

Dr. Winship then gave a final talk upon primary work. Language teaching must be very largely a matter of inducing children to use good language. This being Prof. Winship's last talk, he going to Lock Haven, he gave the following parting thought: "Find what you can do best, and do it best." An intermission of five minutes was then given, after which Dr. A. S. Draper, of University of Illinois, was introduced. He spoke more particularly on the subject of Pennsylvania's teacher's institutes and the importance of securing an education.

Prof. Swift then requested the audience to rise and sing several selections, after which was roll call and 251 teachers answered to their names.

Hon. Henry Houck closed the morning session with a few brief remarks in behalf

of the retention of text books. He was very emphatic in his plea for the reader, speller and, particularly, mental arithmetic. One of the speakers said to-day that at West Point Pennsylvania's always ranked highest in mathematics. Institute then adjourned.

PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Miss Lillie Smith, of this place, spent Sunday in Centre Hall.

Miss Elsie Weaver is at home for vacation from Wellesley college.

Miss Lula Harvey, of Philadelphia, is a guest of Miss Caroline Orvis, on East Linn street.

Mrs. Cyrus Gordon, of Clearfield, spent Sunday a guest at the residence of John P. Harris.

The Misses Sanderson, of Mill Hall, were the guests of Mrs. George L. Potter over Sunday.

Miss Stella Schroeder, of Philipsburg, is visiting Mrs. D. S. Keller.

Miss Mame Jackson, of Berwick, Pa., is sojourning at the home of W. F. Reeder, Esq., on Allegheny street.

Mrs. Samuel Reynolds and daughter, Miss Maud, are guests at the residence of Col. W. Fred Reynolds, on Linn street.

Mrs. Frank P. Strayer, of Emporium, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cowdick on East Linn street.

Miss Laura Cherry, who has been visiting friends in Shamokin, returned to her home in this place on Wednesday evening.

Miss Carrie Bridgens and her little brother Edward, of Lock Haven, were among those enjoying the festivities of the armory dedication Friday night.

Sergt. James R. Hughes occupied the post of honor next the governor at the reception Friday evening, introducing all the guests and visitors. Jim done it up in style, too.

James M. Auter, Governor-elect Hastings' newly appointed messenger, is now in Bellefonte installed at the Hastings' residence and all callers first pass inspection by this functionary.

Private Secretary Lewis E. Beiler is making many warm friends in Bellefonte by his very courteous and gentlemanly manner with all whom he comes in contact, and it is very evident Gen. Hastings has made a wise selection.

H. M. Frysinger, who for the past year has been foreman of the *Magnat* office, departed on Wednesday to accept a more lucrative position at Chester. George Stroop, of Milesburg, is installed in his place at the *Magnat*.

Miss Essie Hanna, accompanied by Miss Maud Hopkins, two of Howard's most accomplished young ladies, arrived in Bellefonte this morning to attend the teacher's institute this week and are stopping with the Misses Saylor on Valentine street.

Mr. Longrove, of the firm of Longrove & Co., extensive machinery builders, Philadelphia, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Miss Mabel, are among Belle-

fonte's distinguished visitors and are being entertained by Capt. and Mrs. W. F. Reber.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brew are visiting at the home of Mrs. Brew's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Jackson, on East Linn street.

Chas. P. Hewes, Esq., left on Tuesday evening for a business trip to Erie Pa. where he made some investments and is retained in settling several large estates. We expect he will tell the people up there how it happened in Centre county last November.

Lieut-Governor L. A. Watres, of Scranton, and Capt. Delaney, of Harrisburg, were arrivals in Bellefonte on Thursday evening and spent quite a time in consultation with General Hastings. Other callers of prominence during the day were Col. Hill, of Allegheny, and Capt. Wm. F. Richardson, of Mahanoy City.

A. A. Dale, Esq., has just returned from a business trip to the woods; his business was not hunting, however, this time. He has for sale many rich tracts of timber, coal and mineral lands. We expect A. L. will strike it rich one of these days. He has for sale many valuable properties in this state, also in Virginia, North Carolina and Florida. When these cruel times are over he will sell, and there will be one more millionaire in Bellefonte.

Gen. Hastings' callers on Wednesday were Col. James H. Lambert, of the Philadelphia Press, who will be appointed insurance commissioner by the Governor-elect, and who came here to bring his daughter to Bellefonte; Congressman-elect Brum, Senators Koyie and Keifer, Capt. Heaner and E. Burd Payne, of Schuylkill county; Dr. W. W. Meyers, of Philadelphia; Capt. J. M. Clark, of Lawrence county, and Dr. James A. Dale, of York, Pa.

On Saturday Gen. Hastings, Lieut. Governor-elect Walter A. Lyon, Gen. B. Frank Reeder and Col. J. L. Spangler spent the afternoon at State College. Next Saturday the General and private secretary Lewis E. Beiler will go to Philadelphia where they will be entertained at dinner by Hon. William H. Slinger.

On Monday Congressman M. H. Kuhn and Col. McConnell, of Shamokin; Jacob Huns and Rev. Dr. Leifer, of Philadelphia, were callers at the Hastings residence. The two former were here presumably in the interest of an applicant for mine inspector and the latter in the interest of the Sabbath observance movement, as Dr. Leifer is President of the Sabbath observance association. On the late train Monday night State Treasurer Benjamin Haywood and Senator Fruit arrived in town. Senator Walter A. Lyon and Gen. B. Frank Reeder, who were guests of the general since Friday departed for their respective homes on Monday.

Council Meeting.

Monday night's session of council was a very brief one. Members present were Messrs. Miller, Gerterick, Williams, Hillbush, Beaver, Brockerhoff, Bush and Garman. The minutes of the previous regular session and of the special session held Monday evening, December 10th, were read and approved.

Mr. James I. McClure was present in the interest of persons living in the Brown Row and asked that a board walk be put down from that place to the pump house. The matter was referred to the Street committee with instructions to see Thomas A. Shoemaker regarding same, as it is along property of the Bellefonte Furnace company.

Petitions were received from residents of Curtin street for one more arc and three incandescent lights on that thoroughfare, and from residents of Howard street for an additional arc light on that street. Referred to the Street committee.

The Street committee reported the work about completed on Curtin street all but putting on of crushed stone. Also Lamb street completed and some work done on Bishop street.

The Water committee reported the pipes lowered on Curtin street and that the job cost about \$220.

The decision of Judge Archibald in the case of Miller vs. Garman was read for the benefit of the council.

Regarding the proposed new bridge on Lamb street the Street committee was instructed to see the county commissioners and push the movement for the erection of same as fast as possible.

With the approved of the following bills council adjourned.

Logan Machine Works, pipes	\$37.85
R. V. Miller, Curtin street	289.54
A. Allison, crushed stone	2.10
M. Cunningham, crossing	25.60
J. H. Wetzel, grading	3.00
Street pay roll	128.61
Police pay roll	35.60
Beaver Lumber Co.	31.95
Logan Machine Works	2.47
M. Cunningham	4.30
Water pay roll	125.44
C. C. Bell, repairing crossings	7.95
W. G. Morrison, recording deeds	2.25
Total Amount	\$907.25

—Presley Orr, an old soldier, died at Chillicothe, O., just as the postman delivered a letter informing him of the granting of a pension for which he had long been an applicant.